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A Trip To Dahlonega Georgia's Mint Town

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(A paper read by Mr. Elder before the Atlanta Coin Club, January 18, 1939.)

Most people are, I assume, interested in money, since it plays a leading part in our lives. It should follow, therefore, that the minting and striking of coins—money—should interest us. Agreeing with the foregoing, the Indian word "Dahlonega," meaning, it is believed, "the place where gold is found," must remain always of particular significance to you Georgians living less than a hundred miles from that interesting, if today tranquil, small village in the mountains of Georgia.

Between the years 1830 and 1880—fifty years—that town and name were a subject to be conjured with, for the history of Dahlonega is thrilling in the extreme, and its former excitements stir the imagination. Events transpired there which compare for interest with the golden days of gold discovery in the West. Today Dahlonega rests rather obscurely and somewhat forgotten by the outside world, and is still, after all these years, twenty-six miles distant from a railroad. It has few commercial interests now, and its unpretentious inhabitants live more in old memories of days that are gone.

The current idea of the remoteness of the town of Dahlonega was well founded in 1930, when the writer paid it a visit lasting several days. The place rests on a plateau, one of several plateaus, and stands some 1500 feet above sea level in the Blue Ridge Mountains, a part of the Appalachian system. The place was not so easy to get to even in 1930, for don't forget that the hey-day of Dahlonega was the day of the pack-horse, Conestoga wagon and Indian trail. In fact, it is reported that all of the gold-bearing lands near Dahlonega were formerly Indian lands.

The roads leading from Gainesville to Dahlonega were then proverbially bad. "Don't come until April," wrote my good friend Col. W. B. Townsend, editor of the Dahlonega Nugget and Dahlonega's leading citizen in 1930. But I disregarded the advice of this town sage and traveled, plodded, or whatever you may call it, in March of that year. With bag in hand, and filled with some degree of numismatic hopes, I left the town of Tyron, N. C., in good form, and going by way of the Southern Railroad duly reached Gainesville, Ga. My taxi-man drove me from the depot to the new postoffice,

a mile from the railroad, where, parked near a platform at the back of the building, I noticed the mud-covered, travel-stained auto which was to carry me, other passengers and the mail toward Dahlonaga. A night of rain had clogged the roads with mud. We crossed the Chattahoochee and then, on account of washouts, had to make a laborious eight-mile detour. Heavy bags of mail were fastened to the hood of the car, and there were several passengers who boarded the car at Gainesville. On the front seat sat two stout men—the sturdy driver and an assistant the use of whom I was soon to learn. Lakes of mud and water covered the roads from the start, and Georgia, with the help of nature, was doing all possible to uphold its reputation for dirt roads.

Tediously we drove to the foot of a hill some half a mile in length, while the car worked valiantly to uphold its reputation for taking hard knocks. We plowed slowly along while the engine puffed and snorted something like a mad bull. We moved at a snail's pace; several of us jumped off, others held tight to seats or rails as the car veered and rolled like a ship in a storm. We hoped the affair would not turn over with us underneath.



Col. W. B. Townsend (deceased), editor of the Dahlonaga Nugget, the town's most important citizen in 1930. Quite a noted character and town sage.

Then we came to a dead stop. The inmates of a farmhouse by the road looked unconcernedly on, as though it were a daily occurrence to them. Passengers got out and took hold of the wheels. Black and ominous thunderclouds moved overhead, emitting an occasional thunderous growl. But we got the car going again, and the rain did not come. The skies cleared, and we reached an old and better road and increased our speed, taking on four more passengers who clung to the railboards. We had now about ten people aboard. We, with something akin to a feeling of triumph, came finally to the last long hill in a brilliant glow of sunset and, with passengers almost on our laps, moved forward into Dahlonaga, toward the main village square. Before us loomed the fine old courthouse, standing since 1834, long before the day of the Government mint, and then we stopped at the postoffice. Colonel Townsend was there to get his mail, and was evidently expecting me. I greeted him and took his photograph. Thinking, as a coin collector, to pick up some rare specimens at Dahlonaga, I had sent a small advertisement to the Colonel, which he inserted in his unique newspaper, the Nugget. I had asked prospective owners of coins to meet me at the editor's office. But the Colonel, evidently scenting possible trouble and embarrassments to him, had changed the wording to read to meet me at the small hotel where I was to stop, and to which I was directed upon my arrival.

There I found my advent was already known, and I noticed a line-up of some half a dozen natives and farmers standing, one behind the other, with expressions of anticipation on their faces, waiting to show the great coin collector their coins. It is true one old man produced a poor and badly worn example of the very rare 1861-D mint gold dollar. He asked fifty dollars, enough when the condition was considered. I did not secure the piece. Some other distant coin merchant had made him the offer by mail, sight unseen. A careful old farmer was the most interesting visitor. He produced a fruit jar of glass with coins in it. These coins were just current \$10 and \$20 gold pieces, at the time of no premium value. "They say thar's going to be a big war," he said, "and I'm told the best way to save gold coins is to bury them. I keep this money of mine buried in the ground so it will be safe." With that he uncovered the jar and poured out his coins, which I did not buy. Others showed more or less worthless coins. My fame soon spread and a farmer driving a wagon across the public square stopped me and showed me two D mint coins, one a gold dollar dated 1849, the other a rather common \$5 gold piece. These he informed me were struck at the Dahlonega mint and he wouldn't sell them.



Main Street in Dahlonega, looking west toward Courthouse Square and toward former location of the Mint.

Then I began to look around the town and found the site of the former old U. S. mint was occupied by the North Georgia Agricultural College. Nothing remained to remind us of the Georgia mint except the flywheel lying prostrate on the ground. My investigations unfolded some interesting facts and figures. The scene from 1838 to 1861 was to Dahlonega and its vicinity a busy and most exciting one. The place was alive with commerce, business, people, and many thousands of shining \$1, \$2.50, \$3 and \$5 gold coins were struck off here and put into circulation with the other current coins of the United States. Most of the gold was taken from the surrounding hills at Dahlonega, while more of it came from mines a mile or miles distant from the town. In the early days one might have said that the streets of the town were paved with gold. It was literally so, for nuggets and gold dust were taken from the sidewalks of Dahlonega. So rich was the ground originally that none could be found which did not contain some trace of gold, so it is stated in newspapers of the time. A few of the mines were the Bowling Field mine, the John C. Calhoun, the Pigeon Roost Mine and the Cain Creek Placer Mining Company. One of the richest was the Finley Ridge mine, which extended for two or three miles and is supposed to have produced millions of dollars' worth of gold. There was a Barlow mine and many others. New ones kept springing up, and today there remain many reminders in old shafts, abandoned machinery, rotted buildings, pipe lines, sluice-ways and other materials. In the old days one lot of forty acres

sold for \$399,000. In 1843 William Martin published a newspaper, called the Dahlonega Times.

As there had been no general discovery of gold out West up to the commencement of coinage in North Carolina and Georgia, the bulk of our gold up to that time came from North and South Carolina and Georgia. The first gold nugget discovered in Georgia is said to have been one uncovered by John Witherow, on Duke's Creek, White county, in 1829. This statement has been disputed by Jesse Hogan, who claimed to have found gold earlier on a branch of Ward's Creek, in Lumpkin county. By 1838 Dahlonega was well established as a gold-producing area. The new discoveries were regarded as so important that the United States Government determined to establish a mint there. The matter was first suggested in State papers as early as 1835.

The machinery for this branch mint at Dahlonega was sent to Savannah by sea in May, 1837, and its transportation from there overland, there being no railroads, was a troublesome and difficult matter. The mint workmen were already working at Charlotte in getting the machinery assembled for that mint, and when they had finished at Charlotte proceeded at once to Dahlonega to erect the machinery there, and they completed this work in November, 1837, the year preceding the first dated coins at Dahlonega. The first coins of 1838 have the mint mark D just above the date. This letter



The old Lumpkin County Courthouse, built 1833-4 before establishment of the Dahlonega Mint.

was put on the reverse afterwards. During those years from 1838 to 1861 when the War Between the States commenced, covering a period of twenty-three years, gold coins with a face value of millions of dollars were struck at this humble mint in Georgia. A few coins were struck in the final year, 1861, and all of these are very rare. Many of the coins of other dates are merely scarce and not very expensive even today. The Charlotte and New Orleans mints were also closed after small coinages were struck in 1861. The scarcest Dahlonega mint dollars are those of 1855, 1856, 1860 and 1861. In 1861, only a few, about 500, dollars were struck. That coin holds a record for U. S. gold dollars. Dewitt Smith paid \$280 for one. The writer sold one at an early sale belonging to William Von Bergen of Boston for \$230. Since then the price has come down, strange to say, to not much over \$100 for a fine specimen, as new ones have been uncovered since the early years. Dahlonega has produced also some rare quarter eagles, those of 1854, 1855, 1856 and 1859 being quite rare, several having price records into the hundreds of dollars. Still a good many dates may be secured today for ten dollars or under.

Coinage figures are easily available to collectors and I'll only recapitulate by saying Dahlonega has produced 72,529 dollars, 197,850 quarter eagles, 1120 three dollars and 1,377,610 half eagles, with a total face value of all of \$6,106,569. The three-dollar piece, struck in only one year, as at New Orleans, brings today about \$40.

Dahlonega, during the gold-rush days, which lasted for many years after the discontinuance of the old U. S. mint in 1861, had at times a variegated population of miners, speculators, gamblers, swindlers and camp followers, and at times it had a population of over five thousand people. Many of these were of the most reckless class and disregarded the laws of both God and man. Grog shops sprang up, also buildings, shanties and shacks. Stores were numerous.

Gold was first obtained from the alluvium of the streams, known as deposit or placer mining. At times disorders among the people grew so threatening that soldiers were called to the scene to suppress fights and riots. The newspapers of the time faithfully record the prices of commodities. Gold sold for \$1 a pennyweight, wheat \$1.25 per bushel, eggs 12½ cents a dozen, whiskey 40 to 45 cents a gallon, beef and mutton 5 to 6 cents a pound, chickens 50 cents apiece, coffee 12 to 15 cents a pound, candles 20 cents a pound. Don't forget that was the day not of oil but rather of candle light. The mining had commenced chiefly on Indian lands and was extended for miles around. Dahlonega had a form of necessity money. Miners had goose-quills filled with gold dust which they exchanged for goods at the stores and among themselves. There was a scarcity of small U. S. coins, and the large copper cent was still in vogue and being minted at Philadelphia.



View of Dahlonega. The building at left with tower is the spot where the old Mint stood, now the North Georgia Agricultural College.

It is believed around \$20,000,000 in gold was taken from the vicinity of Dahlonega during its years of mining history. In the year 1849 a curious thing happened, when news of the discovery of gold in California reached Dahlonega. Hundreds of Dahlonega's miners threw down pick and shovel and made a rush for California. Of these many are reported to have returned again to Dahlonega in 1854 and 1855 to resume a slower but more certain success in gold mining. The mining of gold has continued more or less at Dahlonega ever since, and although restricted today, the Government price of \$35 for pure gold is a bait to lure people back to the old mines. The old Mint at Dahlonega was destroyed by fire in 1878. I found in an old newspapers in Colonel Townsend's office a print of the old mint building, and counted 18 windows on its face, with two large circular stone pillars at its door. The mint was of two stories and built of brick, with a foundation some five feet high of gray stone, which gave the structure a substantial appearance.

My acquaintance, Colonel Townsend, the village wit, was a satirist and most independent in his newspaper columns. He set the type by hand himself. His paper was filled with curious observations, and the Colonel sold rheumatism medicine, beside acting as a notary public. Important editors subscribed to his unique newspaper.

The Colonel taxed my credulity by informing me at his office that gold could be mined today within a stone's throw of his office. I asked for verification. He called a neighbor, who borrowed a pan, and said: "Show Mr. Elder how we pan gold here." The man led me some 150 yards south from the office to a small rivulet at the foot of a gulley. There the man stopped and took a pan full of black ooze from the small rivulet and commenced to shake the pan and stir the black mess with his fingers. In a few minutes I began to see shining yellow gold particles appearing under the water in the pan. As the black gravel and sand disappeared from the bottom of the pan more gold particles appeared, miniature nuggets if you will, until at last hundreds of bright yellow particles could be seen. I preserve today this panning of gold valued at about a dollar in money, as a most interesting souvenir of Dahlonega gold mining.

This remote little town of Dahlonega contains today but 680 souls, as against eight times that many in times gone by in more exciting and prosperous years. It has several rather poor stores, two banks, two schools. One of the banks, on a corner of the public square, possesses and exhibits many valuable reminders of the palmy days of the town's history. It has gold in glass jars, nuggets galore, gold dust, mineral specimens and other items to quicken the imagination. It all seems to be having a rather potent influence on the minds of wandering speculators, who sometimes attempt to work the old diggings, but usually do not take away much for their efforts. Undoubtedly, nevertheless, there must still be millions in gold in those hills around the town. Every farmer seems to have a small bag full of gold dust. I was offered fifty pennyweights by the hotel keeper at however \$1.50 per pennyweight, too much for it at that time. A few townspeople wear nuggets as tie pins and watch charms. There are few gold coins to be had. I secured none on the trip. Natives value the coins more than we do.

This little town still lives in its glamorous past, still thinks in terms of gold and pennyweights, as it should and has a right, by its history, to do. It is well worth while for any traveler to spend a few hours at this interesting spot. There one may at this late day find plenty of evidence of its history. To collectors the years 1838 to 1861 present the most interesting period of its gold and coin history, which will ever live in the minds of collectors, particularly of the good collectors of the Atlanta Coin Club, who must revere such memories.

It was not long after I arrived at Dahlonega before I found myself so filled with the town's history and picturesque and dramatic past that I felt myself residing in a region of spooks. At night the dimly lit or dark streets added to this imagination. Spectres, shadows, forms of the past paraded before me, like the ghost of Banquo. These apparitions seemed to revisit their old haunts, recalling those busy and exciting days of Dahlonega's golden age; the scenes at the mines and at the courthouse square; the boisterous successful miner walking with heavy boots over cobbled streets and pavements; the knots of rough men who stood around buying and selling goods and weighing and exchanging gold. Yes, the valuable coin-laden treasure wagons, filled with \$2.50 and \$5 gold coins, moving slowly eastward, heavily guarded by posses of armed men; the mule and horse carts and wagons rattling over the streets; the grog-shop scuffle, the fight and pistol shots; the songs of tipsy men at night time; the dare of the gambler and roughneck from New York, who came to swindle the miners. Underneath it all an ominous hint of violence, awaiting like dry tinder the kindling spark.

And yet, as I gazed down the quiet and almost deserted main street on my last day in town, I fervently wished for an Aladdin's lamp to rub to make my dream a reality, to reproduce those old wild crude scenes of Dahlonega, and of course regretted that those experiences could never be enacted again.

At last I came to earth and started to pack my baggage. A curious old farmer in a curious old creaking, loose-wheeled wagon moved slowly past the hotel. He was going homeward, eastward. Like him I decided to follow suit and go home. Taking myself to the postoffice I boarded the east bound stage for Gainesville, feeling a sense of gladness at the good fortune which had led me to visit the scenes of such rich historical and numismatic memories.

Commemorative Store Cards Of Admiral Dewey

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(A paper presented to the Columbus Convention of the A. N. A., 1938.)

Forty years ago, on May 1, 1898, Admiral George Dewey (then Commodore in command of the United States Asiatic Squadron) sailed into the mine-swept harbor of Manila Bay, in the Philippine Islands, and completely destroyed the Spanish fleet stationed there under Rear Admiral Patricio Montojo. The American victory of that day stands as one of the most impressive and brilliant demonstrations of naval strategy and efficiency that has been seen in modern times.

This preliminary step in the ultimate overthrow of Spain's dominion in the Far East was of such epoch-making proportions as to be of immediate and monumental consequence to the political, military and diplomatic life of our nation, and the American people did not fail to recognize its importance or express their appreciation when the opportunity to celebrate the occasion presented itself. In due course, every conceivable honor was extended to those who had participated in the Manila Bay engagement. Dewey himself became the idol of his fellow countrymen, the "Hero of the Day," and the focal point of glory.

On May 9, 1898, President McKinley reported in a special message to the Congress that "The magnitude of this victory can hardly be measured by the ordinary standards of naval warfare. Outweighing any material advantage is the moral effect of this initial success. At this unsurpassed achievement the great heart of our nation throbs, not with boasting nor with greed of conquest, but with deep gratitude that this triumph has come in a just cause, and that by the grace of God an effective step has thus been taken toward the attainment of the wished-for peace. To those whose skill, courage, and devotion have won the fight, to the gallant commander and the brave officers and men who aided him, our country owes an incalculable debt." This message was received with spontaneous enthusiasm and culminated in the raising of the Commodore to the rank of Rear Admiral. In December, 1898, McKinley promoted Dewey to the status of Admiral of the United States Navy, a position previously held by only two other men, namely, Farragut, for his service in the Civil War, and Porter for the War of 1812.

Dewey's homecoming to New York City in September, 1899, was marked by a three-day ovation which, for sheer extravagance of size, splendor and showmanship, was without comparison in the annals of contemporary American history. Hero worship had assumed almost fanatical proportions days before the flagship Olympia anchored in the waters of the Hudson River with its cargo of returning veterans and their famous commander. During the celebrations which followed, business houses of every description vied with one another to produce new and different mementos alluding to the Admiral and the Manila Bay victory. "Dewey" neckties, shirts, plates, cups, flags and pipes, even "Dewey" ice cream sundaes and cocktails were disbursed to a hero-mad public, to mention but a few of the hundreds of saleable items to profit from the timely connection. Into this maelstrom of souvenirs and trinkets, medallion art was hurriedly injected in all its usual forms as a convenient media for individual expression and self-participation in the pageant of victory.

Adelbert M. Dewey, in his "Life of Admiral George Dewey," relates that "there were more kinds of badges, buttons, stickpins, tokens and the like bearing the features of the Admiral sold on the streets (of New York) and in the stores than were ever issued in honor of any candidate for President of the United States." In view of this, it does not surprise us to learn that Admiral Dewey has bequeathed to the numismatic fraternity a rich source

of material for specialized study in the field of medalllic art. Not the least interesting in this respect is the series of merchants' cards that were widely distributed to the "Dewey" fans of that day.

During the last five years it has been the writer's privilege to acquire a rather extensive collection of medals, badges, and tokens relating to Admiral George Dewey. Included among these are a number of store cards or merchants' tokens which bear a portrait of the Admiral on one side and the advertisement of a particular business establishment on the other. These pieces, while incomplete in themselves as a series, have, nevertheless, provided the nucleus of material for this article and the incentive for its preparation. As a purely incidental observation, it is rather curious to note at this late date, and perhaps indicative of the scarcity of these tokens, that, despite the many important collections of American store cards which have been assembled in this country since the Battle of Manila Bay in 1898, none has ever boasted a better than mediocre representation of the numerous tokens that were struck in honor of the principal actor in that historic encounter.

Extensive search through the many articles and catalogues on store cards of the late nineteenth century fail to disclose any important contributions to the Dewey series of cards. Occasional references to them may be found in Dr. Storer's "Naval Medals of the Spanish-American War" (The Numismatist, June and July, 1922) and Dr. Wright's "American Store Cards" (The Numismatist, May, 1900, February, September and October, 1901). Where covered in this present work, these will be cross-referenced to the original numbers for the benefit of those having access to the above-mentioned volumes. Other sources of information will be referred to in detail, and it is hoped that in this fashion all published and unpublished information on the series may be correlated.

In any basic classification of numismatic material it is necessary to define rather carefully the limiting conditions obtaining, if subsequent controversy over the inclusion or exclusion of certain border-line items is to be avoided. For the purpose of this paper, therefore, only such metallic cards will be admitted as actually bear a likeness of the Admiral upon them and which, in addition, were definitely issued as commercial advertising vehicles by the distributing parties. This latter qualification is extremely important in the series under study, since a very great number of souvenir medals, badges, and tokens were struck for Admiral Dewey bearing the name of the manufacturer or maker on them which, by a slight stretch of the imagination, could readily be classed as advertising matter for the makers. Items of this nature, however, are essentially no more than signed souvenirs of the occasion and cannot be classed with cards primarily issued to advertise a business or product. Finally, it is likewise necessary to exclude medals and tokens of cities and expositions, since these pieces logically constitute separate classes of their own.

A conscientious effort has been made to ascertain the apparent present-day rarity of the various cards in the series, although it is anticipated that this attempt will probably be subject to the widest criticism and disagreement among collectors. This feature was admitted to the discussion, after long deliberation, on the negative argument that a reference work which fails to provide the collector with some yardstick of comparative rarity (within the scope of the series itself, at least) omits an essential item in the classification, and deliberately precludes an intelligent understanding of the relative importance of the several pieces comprising a complete collection. It is also true that the average dealer in or collector of general numismatic material has little opportunity to determine the true value of items of a highly specialized nature, with the obvious result that absurd prices for such material often obtain. The specialist, on the other hand, is frequently in a better position to observe the frequency with which the various items of his especial interest are offered at the market. An obligation to impart to others his observations along these lines, therefore, rests with the specialist, and the writer dares to hope that the future will not deal too harshly with his own conclusions here.

Because of the lack of any sort of data concerning the number of pieces originally issued and subsequently destroyed or lost, the rarity indicated in any case is, at best, an approximation. It can safely be stated, though, that the commonest "Dewey" card is perhaps thrice as scarce as the rarest

U. S. Commemorative Half Dollar and that some of the pieces catalogued would make an 1804 dime appear like a "devil-dog" 1883 nickel by comparison!

Unfortunately for token collectors, this type of numismatic material has a habit of disappearing after a relatively short period of time so that, in due course, very few specimens of some items remain to grace the cabinets of collectors. It now appears certain that no single complete collection of all the varieties of the "Dewey" store cards is possible of attainment, so many apparently unique pieces having already found their way into museums and been effectively removed from the active market forever.

Forty years have elapsed since the annihilation of the Spanish fleet at Manila. Subsequent political and marital relations notwithstanding to the contrary, Admiral Dewey still remains to the ordinary American citizen the most popular naval figure of modern times. It is doubtful if greater or more sincere honors will every be accorded any man in similar rank than those tendered to George Dewey upon his return to the United States in 1899. We are not surprised to learn, then, that at least eighteen different business houses of that period availed themselves of the opportunity to distribute advertising cards bearing his portrait. Rare judgment, it would appear, on the part of the firms that participated in this little-used form of advertising. The immediate acceptability of a card suggesting that "Kirkman's Soap Is Best Of All" is obvious, under the circumstances, considering that the same card offered the holder an intimate medallion portrait of America's most modest hero!

A majority of the Dewey cards were executed by the Whitehead and Hoag Company, of Newark, New Jersey, which is still actively engaged in the manufacture of medals, badges, tokens, and buttons at the present time. This concern, in 1899, prepared a convenient size profile bust hub of Admiral Dewey in anticipation of an unusual demand for Dewey tokens during the welcome home celebrations. That their judgment in this respect was well appointed is demonstrated by the fact that they were shortly called upon to utilize that hub as the master die for no fewer than ten different orders.

It is disappointing to report that the Whitehead and Hoag Company are unable to furnish any information at this time concerning the number of pieces struck under any given contract or the number of different dies used. They are similarly without knowledge or record of the order in which the various dies were prepared or used. In partial compensation for this deficiency, however, they have provided general data relative to the use of dies and the master hub which has made it possible to draw scattered conclusions regarding these features of their manufacture.

A careful comparison of the various obverse dies used by the Whitehead and Hoag Company in the execution of the Dewey cards indicates that they differ from one another only in the relative positions of the lower legend and manufacturer's name with respect to the portrait bust of Dewey, which is common to all cards in the series by virtue of its derivation from the master hub heretofore mentioned. As an example of this it will be noted that in the Kirkman group one variety will show the "w" of "Newark" directly under the crack of the right armpit of the bust and the "G" of "George" under and midway between the "N" and "e" of "Newark." Another type will show the armpit crack pointing to the "N" of "Newark" and the "G" of "George" under the period after "Co."

The production of eleven different advertising cards by this company for as many concerns or products called for the use of ten different obverse dies in combination with twelve reverse. Four of the ten obverse dies were required to complete the Kirkman Soap series alone, although one reverse seems to have sufficed for the same set.

The use of more than one die in this manner for the consummation of any given contract leads to one of two possible conclusions; either the number of pieces struck exceeded the normal durability of a single die, or unusual difficulties were experienced in maintaining the dies in usable condition. In order that the former condition obtain, it is reasonable to expect that both obverse and reverse dies would wear out at approximately the same rate, but this was definitely not the case with the Kirkman card, wherein we are confronted with the fact that four obverse dies lasted no longer than one reverse. It would not be impossible, on the other hand, for the

normal life of an obverse die to be considerably less than a reverse, since the obverse contains a central device of goodly proportions to weaken the over-all structure, whereas the reverse includes only the conventional lettering work. Strangely enough, only one of the many Kirkman cards to come under observation has shown any sign of obverse die deterioration or defect. Variety (b), as explained in the catalogue, shows definite indication of breaking down, although in a very minor way. It is quite probable that an examination of other existing cards of the Kirkman series would reveal similar defects in other varieties.

The fact is that there were far more cards struck under the Kirkman contract than for any of the others of the Whitehead group. For this and other reasons, therefore, it is reasonable to conclude that the apparent unequal requirement for dies in the Kirkman series was the result of a combination of both conditions specified above. The writer is inclined, as a consequence, toward the premise that the Kirkman card was the first one of the entire series executed by the Whitehead people, and that certain matters of mechanical detail, such as degree of die hardening, striking pressures to be used, etc., may have been in the experimental stage during the early operations under this contract.

The fifth obverse die for this group of cards was coupled with reverses for the Barnes, Marble Hall and one of the Tousey cards. A different Tousey obverse was used with a Syracuse Plow Company reverse to account for the sixth obverse die. A seventh obverse die of smaller diameter than the others was coupled with reverses for the Eagle Cotton Gin, National Protective Society and Hopkins cards. The eighth, ninth and tenth obverse dies were used exclusively with the reverses of the Kann, Griesheimer, and Union cards, respectively.

A convenient schematic arrangement of the above data is indicated below for ready reference, but it should be remembered that the order shown within a particular group may well be in error, and there is no further proof of the order assumed for the entire series than has been outlined in the preceding discussion.

Card No. in Catalogue	Obverse Die No.	Product or Company	Reverse Die No.
10a	1	Kirkman's Soap)	1
b	2	Kirkman's Soap)	1
c	3	Kirkman's Soap)	1
d	4	Kirkman's Soap)	1
1	5	(Barnes Clothes	2
11	5	(Marble Hall	3
14a	5	(Tousey Novel (Fearnot)	4
b	6	(Tousey Novel (Fearnot)	5
13	6	(Syracuse Chilled Plow Co.	6
5	7	(Eagle Cotton Gin	7
12	7	(National Protective Society	8
8	7	(Hopkins Clothes	9
9	8	Kann's Department Store	10
6	9	Griesheimer Clothes	11
15	10	Union Clothing Company	12

It is apparent from this table that the Barnes, Marble Hall, and Tousey cards must have been struck in rather limited quantities compared with the Kirkman card. This would be equally true of the Eagle Cotton, National Protective, and Hopkins cards where one obverse was utilized for all three contracts. It is also interesting to note that the second variety of the Tousey and also the Syracuse cards must have been executed subsequent to the Barnes and Marble Hall set, since the same obverse die was used for both groups. These conclusions represent the extent to which our present information can carry us: it will be interesting to observe what the future may divulge along these lines.

Some of the Dewey cards were probably issued originally with ornamental bar pin tops, but very few of these have survived the harsh treatment of passing years. The fragile nature of the standard type bar pins, in comparison with the medals or tokens which they are called upon to support, is at once evident to collectors of this sort of material. Cards which turn

up today, holed, and lacking the requisite bar pin top, are the rule rather than the exception, and bear mute evidence of an unkind fate that has forever destroyed their numismatic unity. The collector who yearns to rebuild these pieces to their original splendor in his mind's eye finds the door barred against him and no avenue of approach left open. To complicate the matter still further, it is very certain that, for economic reasons, stock pins were utilized promiscuously by the makers for cards of this type so that the number of possible combinations of bar pins and tokens is conceivably infinite. It is regrettable, therefore, but fortunately unimportant from a numismatic standpoint (the "Dewey" feature always having been associated with the card itself), that little data of this nature can be given.

In this connection, collectors should bear in mind that not all tokens found "holed as issued" were originally provided with bar pin tops. Frequently such items were holed by the manufacturers for convenience of mounting, according to the individual tastes of the ultimate individual owners. A careful inspection of the "condition" of the metal surface of a holed specimen usually brings out the nature of the "holing"; that is to say, whether or not a loop and bar pin mounting was actually issued with the token.

Since all of the Dewey cards were issued at about the same time in 1899, the usual chronological arrangement is not admissible. In lieu of this, an arbitrary arrangement has been chosen for the catalogue. The cards have been numbered consecutively in alphabetical order according to the names of the advertisers.

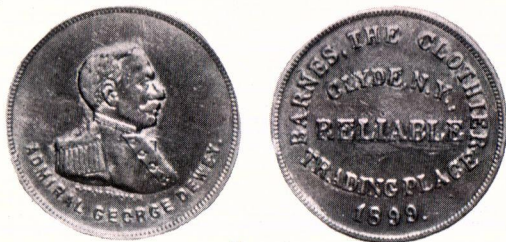
The size of each token is given in millimeters. Edges are always plain except where otherwise designated, and borders, unmilled. Due apologies are offered for what must certainly prove to be an incomplete treatment of the subject. Additional information of any sort whatsoever will be accorded a gracious welcome by the writer and duly incorporated in later revisions of the present paper.

Catalogue of the "Dewey" Store Cards.

1. Barnes Clothing Store.

Unholed token with milled borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at bottom ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY. In minute letters in exergue W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J.



No. 1.

Rev. Legend at top BARNES, THE CLOTHIER. In center in straight line RELIABLE, above which in curved line CLYDE, N. Y. and below in two curved lines TRADING PLACE | 1899.

Diameter—31½ mm. Thickness at edge—2 mm.

Metal—Brass. Gilded finish.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.

Apparently a very rare item. Unlisted in published works and only the writer's specimen has come to his attention. Struck from same obverse die (No. 5) as the Marble Hall and Tousey (variety a) cards.

Die Characteristics—Crack of armpit points to N of "Newark" and G of "George" is below o of "Co." (similar to 10c. but legend slightly more to left).

2. Barrister's Cigars.

Obv. Bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at top OUR COUNTRY'S PRIDE followed by two stars between two anchors. Legend at bottom ADMIRAL DEWEY followed by two stars between two anchors.

Rev. Legend at top THE SMOKER'S PRIDE and at bottom MAINE TO CALIFORNIA. Single stars between. In field in three lines BARRISTER'S | CIGARS | SOLD FROM.

Diameter—30mm.

Metal—Aluminum.

Specimen in the Naval Academy collection catalogued as No. 24 in Case 19. Formerly in Dr. Storer's possession and listed by him as No. 89 in the July, 1922, issue of *The Numismatist*, page 320. Very rare and seemingly impossible to acquire.

3. Bucklen & Co.

Unholed medal with precision reeded edge.

Obv. Bust of Dewey facing one-half to right in center. Legend at either side of head ADMIRAL and DEWEY.

Rev. Legend at top in two lines TESTIMONIAL SOUVENIR | AMERICA'S GREATEST REMEDIES. Single star at either end of first line of legend. Legend at bottom H. E. BUCKLEN & CO. CHICAGO. In field in nine lines simply ornamented DR. KING'S | NEW DISCOVERY | FOR | CONSUMPTION | ELECTRIC BITTERS | FOR | THE BLOOD AND NERVES | COMPLIMENTS | OF.

Diameter—37 1/2 mm. Thickness at edge—3mm.

Metal—Brass.



No. 3.

Probably issued by the Bucklen Company in acknowledgment of testimonial letters received from users of the product. The Bucklen Company was engaged in the wholesale distribution of drugs for many years before their recent retirement. Numismatically, this card, struck in brilliant proof, is the most meritorious of the entire series with the possible exception of the Hanson card. The writer has had four specimens in the last two years, all from the same source in Chicago, and there is a specimen in the Naval Academy collection catalogued as No. 27 in Case 19. This latter item was also in Dr. Storer's collection originally, and was listed by him in the July, 1922, issue of *The Numismatist* on page 319 as No. 77. Scarce enough to be desirable.

4. Dakins' Business Institute.

Obv. Bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend below ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY.

Rev. In five lines through field DAKINS | BUSINESS | INSTITUTE | HERALD B'L'D'N'G | SYRACUSE, N. Y.

Diameter—34mm.

Metal—Copper.

The description of this card is taken from Dr. Wright's supplementary list of "American Store Cards" published in *The Numismatist* of May, 1900, and catalogued therein as No. 1387 on page 153. The writer has

never seen a specimen and does not know of the existence of any at this writing.

Note—Dr. Wright calls the portrait side of this token the reverse. In this paper the portrait side is considered the obverse, on the basis that the portrait is the "main device" rather than the advertisement, insofar as the present series is concerned.

5. Eagle Cotton Gin.

Holed token, possibly issued with bar pin top. Milled borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend below ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY.

Rev. Eagle on ground in center to right; wings outstretched preparatory to taking flight. Legend at top EAGLE COTTON GIN CO. and at bottom BRIDGEWATER, MASS. In microscopic letters between lower legend and milling W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J.

Diameter—28mm. Thickness at edge—2mm.

Metal—Brass.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.



No. 5.

This seems to be a very rare piece, the only specimen offered being in rather dilapidated condition. Originally issued in limited quantity by virtue of the fact that the obverse die utilized also served for the National Protective and Hopkins cards. (See obverse die classification No. 7).

6. Griesheimer Clothing Store.

Unholed token with milled borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at top CHICAGO AUTUMN FESTIVAL and at bottom ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY. In minute letters in exergue W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J.



No. 6.

Rev. Across field in two lines of semi-script lettering FRED | GRIESHEIMER. Below in modified old English type CLOTHIER with two periods at either side. In curved line through lower field STATE ST. COR. JACKSON BLVD. Legend at bottom 1899.

Diameter—31½mm. Thickness at edge—2mm.

Metal—Brass. Gilded finish.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.

Three specimens of this piece have turned up in five years. Probably quite rare.

Die Characteristics—Crack of armpit points to e of "Newark" and G of "George" is below period after "Co."

7. Hanson Company.

Unholed medal with plain borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Bust of Dewey facing one-half to right in center. Legend at either side of head ADMIRAL and DEWEY.

Rev. Legend at top C. H. HANSON and at bottom 44 CLARK ST. CHICAGO. Within an ornamental shield the following in eight lines, the second of which is ornamented and curved, ENGRAVERS | MEDAL-LISTS | STEEL STAMPS | STENCILS | RUBBER STAMPS | NAME PLATES | BURNING BRANDS | & CT. & CT. At bottom along curve of shield TELEPHONE M. 1564.

Diameter—38mm. Thickness at edge—3mm.

Metal—Aluminum.

Manufacturer—C. H. Hanson.

The American Numismatic Society, in New York, has the only specimen of this handsome medal, struck in brilliant proof, that the writer has seen. Undoubtedly issued in very limited quantities, as are most cards of this type, and probably very rare. Rates with the Bucklen card in medallion execution.

8. Hopkins Clothing Store.

Obv. Bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend below ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY.

Rev. Legend at top THE HOPKINS CO. INC. and at bottom 206 S. SALINA ST. SYRACUSE. In three lines through field CLOTHING | AND | TAILORS.

Diameter—28mm. Thickness at edge—1½ mm.

Metal—Brass.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.

The description of this card is taken from Dr. Wright's supplementary list of "American Store Cards" published in The Numismatist of October, 1901, and catalogued there as No. 1670, on page 273. No actual specimen of this piece has been seen by the writer, but the description would indicate that it is in all probability one of the small size Whitehead & Hoag cards (See Eagle Cotton Gin and National Protective Society cards, which appear to have been struck from the same obverse die). Seemingly of the highest rarity, as all efforts to locate a copy to date have proven fruitless. Concluding note on the Dakin card (No. 4) also applies here.

9. Kann's Department Store.

Unholed token with milled borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at top KANN'S BUSY CORNER and at bottom ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY. In exergue 1899. Between lower legend and milling W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J. in very small letters.



No. 9.

Rev. Flagship OLYMPIA steaming to right in center. Legend at top DEPARTMENT STORES and at bottom OLYMPIA.

Diameter—31½ mm. Thickness at edge—2mm.

Metal—Brass. Gilded finish.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.

Dr. Storer lists this card in his "Naval Medals of the Spanish-American War" in the June, 1922, issue of The Numismatist as No. 44, on page 276. Adams also catalogues this token as No. 77 on page 12 of his book, "United States Store Cards." The following historical information is appended by Duffield to item No. 65 on page 76 of his "Merchants' Cards and Tokens of Baltimore," published in the March, 1907, issue of The Numismatist:

"The department store of S. Kann, Sons & Co. was established by Solomon Kann in 1859 at 156 (509-513) South Broadway, where it has since been located. In 1905 the business was sold to other parties. The Kanns also conduct a department store in Washington, D. C."

Mr. Duffield believed that the Kann card was issued for the Baltimore store but he subsequently learned that the Kann store in that city was never located on a "corner," consequently he now attributes this card as a Washington city piece. The use of the plural word "Stores" on the reverse, however, indicates that the advertisement was intended to represent more than one establishment, so the Baltimore branch must have been included with the Washington store. A very scarce item. The writer has seen only three specimens, but knows of a fourth.

10. Kirkman Soap Company.

Holed token with milled borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at bottom ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY. In minute letters in exergue W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J.

Rev. On a central raised tablet flared toward the borders at either side in two straight lines KIRKMANS | BORAX SOAP. Legend at top WASH CLOTHES, below which in a straight line WITH. In lower field in curved line BEST OF ALL, below which in straight line 1899.

Diameter—31½ mm. Thickness at edge—2mm.

Metal—Brass. Gilded finish.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.

There are four major varieties of this card due to the use of four different obverse dies, as explained in the general argument. In addition, there is a minor variety created by the breaking of one of the obverse dies in service. Variety (d) below should undoubtedly be classed as a minor variety because it shows a broken die reverse, but, since no specimen of this with perfect reverse has come to light, it will not be considered as such as this time.



No. 10a.

Variety (a)—Crack of armpit points to w of "Newark" and G of "George" is below Ne of "Newark." One specimen of this variety has turned up suspended from a bar pin in the form of a spread eagle clutching a sword in its talons and resting on crossed cannons above a stock of cannon balls. This pin, of pressed tin, gilded, is of conventional type and contemporary to the period of the token, but it is obviously an added item, not originally issued with the card.

Variety (b)—Crack of armpit points to w of "Newark" but G of "George" is below C and o of "Co." This die became defective in use and there exists a variety on which the "G's" of "George" are both closed and the "l" of "Admiral" has a decided spike shooting out radially toward the left from the lower stand of the letter itself.



No. 10b.

Variety (c)—Crack of armpit points to N of "Newark" and G of "George" is below period between "Co." and "Newark." This variety is similar to the obverse of the Barnes, Marble Hall and Tousey set, but the legend here is slightly more to the right.



No. 10c.

Variety (d)—Crack of armpit points to N of "Newark" but G of "George" is below Ne of "Newark." This card probably comes with a perfect die reverse, but the only specimen observed to date shows a die crack on the reverse which begins at the lower left border in the milling and extends to the top left stand of the letter B of "Best" and runs again from the bottom of the same letter to the milling below. Since only one reverse die is known for the Kirkman series, this variety must have been the last one struck, as the reverse die break described must have, soon afterward, rendered the die useless for further service.



No. 10d.

The Kirkman Company is still actively engaged in the manufacture of various soap products, with offices and plant in Brooklyn, Long Island, N. Y. They are authority for the information that one hundred thousand "Dewey" cards were struck for their order and distributed over a period

of time as souvenirs to their patrons with each bar of soap purchased. They also advise that none of their tokens were issued with bar pin tops, so that variety (a) described above, is obviously an hybrid item.

Dr. Storer listed one of these pieces (variety unknown) in his catalogue of "Naval Medals of the Spanish-American War" as item No. 81 on page 319 of the July, 1922, issue of The Numismatist. This piece is now in the Naval Academy Museum as No. 27 in Case 20. Storer indicates that the size is 22mm, but this is certainly in error, as the bust of Dewey alone is 20mm high without the legend below it. As a single series the Kirkman card is more common than any other, but some of the varieties are relatively scarce. Only two specimens of variety (c) have been noticed to date; one the writer's and another in the cabinet of the American Numismatic Society in New York. The writer has seen only his own specimen of the broken die variety of (b). Variety (a) appears to be most common of the series, at least a dozen pieces having been scrutinized at various times. Dr. Wright listed a specimen of the Kirkman card in the February, 1901, issue of The Numismatist as No. 1485 on page 37, and illustrated it on page 39. The concluding note on the Dakin card (No. 4) also applies here.

11. Marble Hall.

Unholed token with milled borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at bottom ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY. In minute letters in exergue W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J.

Rev. Legend at sides and top MARBLE HALL, JAMESTOWN. In curved line through upper field RELIABLE and in lower field in curved line PLACE. In straight line through center TRADING. Legend at bottom 1899.

Diameter—31½ mm. Thickness at edge—2mm.

Metal—Brass. Gilded finish.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.



No. 11.

This is one of the three cards using obverse die No. 5 for its execution (See the Barnes and variety (a) of the Tousey card). Only the writer's own specimen has come to his attention, and, accordingly, it appears to be very rare. Unlisted in published works.

Die Characteristics—Crack of armpit points to N of "Newark" and G of "George" is below o of "Co."

12. National Protective Society.

Holed token with milled borders on obverse and reverse. May have been issued with bar pin top.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend below ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY.

Rev. In straight line through center of field SOCIETY. Legend at top NATIONAL PROTECTIVE and at bottom BAY CITY, MICH. In microscopic letters between lower legend and milling W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J.

Diameter—28mm. Thickness at edge—2mm.

Metal—Brass.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.

This is one of the three cards using obverse die No. 7 for its execution. (See the Eagle Cotton and Hopkins cards). The only specimen known to the writer is in the American Numismatic Society's cabinet in New York and it is apparently a very rare card. Not listed in any published works.

13. Syracuse Chilled Plow Company.

Holed token which appears to have been issued with a bar pin top. Milled borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at bottom ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY. In exergue in rather small letters W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J., the w of "Newark" being larger than and considerably out of proportion to the e which precedes it.

Rev. In lower center a plow to right, above which in straight line through field SYRACUSE, N. Y. Legend at top SYRACUSE CHILLED, below which in curved line in upper field PLOW CO. Legend at bottom A NATIONAL LEADER.

Diameter—31 ½ mm. Thickness at edge—2mm.

Metal—Brass. Gilded finish.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.



No. 13.

The writer's specimen of this card is the most perfectly struck piece of the Whitehead and Hoag series to come to his attention. It has what approaches a proof surface and is practically in its original condition of issue—a rare combination for these tokens, indeed! Only one other specimen has been offered, but Dr. Wright catalogued one in The Numismatist for September, 1901, as No. 1649 on page 245. There is also a specimen in the Naval Academy Collection (No. 21 in Case 20) which was listed by Dr. Storer in the July, 1922, issue of The Numismatist as No. 76 on page 319. A rare card, struck from the same die as was used for the second variety of the Tousey token.

Die Characteristics—Armpit crack points to o of "Co." and G of "George" is under C of "Co." Concluding note on the Dakin card (No. 4) also applies to this card.

14. Tousey Dime Novels.

Holed token, probably issued with bar pin top. Milled borders on obverse and reverse.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at bottom ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY. In exergue in very small letters W. & H. CO. NEWARK, N. J.

Rev. Portrait bust of Fearnot facing one-half to left in center. Legend at bottom FRED FEARNOT.

Diameter—31 ½ mm. Thickness at edge—2mm.

Metal—Brass.

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.

There are two varieties of this card, due to the use of two obverse and two reverse dies.

Variety (a)—Obv. Crack of armpit points to N of "Newark" and G of "George" is below o of "Co." Same die as used for the Marble Hall and Barnes cards (Nos. 11 and 1 respectively).

Rev. V of coat lapels points to extreme right end of top bar of "Fearnot" (Rev. die No. 4 in schematic). Variety (b)—Obv. Crack of armpit points to o of "Co." and G of "George" under C of "Co." Same die as used for the Syracuse Chilled Plow Company card (No. 13), the note concerning the manufacturers' signature indicated there, being equally true here.



No. 14a.

Rev. V of coat lapels points to extreme right end of top bar of F in "Fearnot" (Rev. die No. 5 in schematic). There is a lump on the truncation of the bust above the r of "Fearnot" that is probably a piece of dirt which adhered to the die in striking, although it may possibly be the start of a fracture. If the latter should prove to be the case, this variety would have been the first to have been struck rather than (a), and the order of issuance of the two sets of cards (obverse dies number 5 and 6 in the schematic arrangement) would correspondingly be reversed; that is, the Barnes and Marble Hall cards would have been struck after the Tousey card instead of before it. The only specimen of this variety available for study is somewhat corroded, however, and it is impossible to state with surety what the actual condition may have been.



No. 14b.

The writer is indebted to Mr. Charles Bragin, of Brooklyn, N. Y., for the following information relative to the issuance of this curious type of card:

"Fred Fearnot was the hero of the Frank Tousey Weekly, "Work and Win," which ran its course from 1898 to almost 1914. Fred was a rival of the widely known Frank Merriwell. "Work and Win" was published during the Spanish-American War when Dewey was the popular hero. This token was struck by the publisher, Tousey, to present to readers for its advertising value, of course."

No reference to this token has been found, and it is believed to be extremely rare, despite what must have originally been a fairly large issue. The requirement of two reverse dies seems to indicate a greater number of pieces struck than some of the other cards of the Whitehead series, but the very nature of the advertising subject and card distribution leads to their issue. The writer has seen only his own specimens of the two varieties catalogued, and attributes both of them as among the rarest of the "Dewey" tokens.

15. Union Clothing Company.

Obv. Profile bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at bottom ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY.

Rev. In straight line through center of field RELIABLE, above which in curved line ROCHESTER'S and below TRADING PLACE. Legend at top UNION CLOTHING CO. Legend at bottom 1899.

Diameter— $31\frac{1}{2}$ mm.

Metal—Copper (?).

Manufacturer—Whitehead & Hoag.



No. 15.

The description of this card is drawn from Dr. Wright's listing in *The Numismatist* for October, 1901, where he catalogues it as No. 1705 on Page 277. The nature of the description is such that it is almost certain this token is one of the Whitehead cards, probably similar in appearance to the Barnes card (No. 1). The writer has never seen a specimen or had one available for study. The metal is given as copper, but this should undoubtedly be brass. The concluding note on the Dakin card No. 4) also applies here. The lack of detail regarding specific die characteristics has made it necessary to give this card a separate obverse die listing, but it is altogether possible that it was actually struck from one of the dies otherwise enumerated. Apparently an extremely rare card, as it has not been possible to obtain a single specimen for study.

16. Vetter, William.

Unholed token with plain borders and edge.

Obv. Portrait busts of Dewey, Shafter, Sampson, and Miles within an ornamental, clover-shaped field in center. Dewey at top facing one-half to right, Sampson below facing slightly to left. Shafter in field at right, facing front; Miles at left, facing one-half to right. In curved lines approximately following lower lines of busts the last name of each. Legend at top in raised "picture frame" border "AVENGERS of the MAINE" and at bottom Wm VETTER, 116 E. PEARL ST. CIN'TI, O. There is a small dot directly beneath the W of the name "Dewey."



No. 16a.

Rev. Battleship Maine to right in center. Legend at top REMEMBER the MAINE, and at bottom DESTROYED FEB. 15' 1898.

Diameter—48mm. Thickness at edge—2½ mm.

Metals—Aluminum, and also brass, gold plated.

Manufacturer—James Murdock, Jr. (Cincinnati)

There are two different obverse dies of this card in aluminum.

Variety (a)—Bottom of M in "Miles" touches cloverleaf border.

Variety (b)—Bottom of M in "Miles" is about 1 millimeter distant from border design.

William J. Schultz, of Cincinnati, is responsible for the following historical data about the Vetter cards:

William Vetter, Cafe,
116 East Pearl Street,
Cincinnati, Ohio.
Phone, CHerry 8617

"Mr. Vetter is still alive and relates that he had the Dewey medal . . . made by James Murdock, Jr., in aluminum and brass-plated. He gave them out in 1898 to his saloon customers. The firm of James Murdock, Jr., has been out of business almost ten years. The son of the firm's owner declares that all old dies were sold for junk at auction."

A very rare card. Only one specimen of each variety has come to the writer's attention—variety (a), in both metals, in his own cabinet; variety (b), in aluminum, belonging to the American Numismatic Society in New York City.

17. Ward Company.

Very large hollow shell badge made of pressed brass, backed with cardboard, and suspended from a very thin flying eagle bar pin by single loops at either side of center.



No. 17.

Obv. Portrait bust of Dewey facing one-half to right in center. Legend at top within a beaded border ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY U. S. N., and at bottom, in relatively small letters, JAS. MURDOCK, JR. CIN'TL, O. Bust in very high relief.

Rev. Across central portion of field in very large, black letters DEWEY. Above in field at top in three straight lines AMERICAN CITIZENS! | WEAR THIS BADGE IN HONOR OF | ADMIRAL GEORGE. Below in lower field in three straight lines THE HERO OF MANILA | LET THE

GLORY OF HIS VICTORY BE AN INSPIRATION | TO THE AMERICAN PEOPLE. At bottom in five straight lines SAMUEL WARD COMPANY, | MANUFACTURING STATIONERS, | 49 FRANKLIN ST., BOSTON. | NEW YORK OFFICE, | 621 BROADWAY. Legend at sides and top within a wide and a narrow line border ADMIRAL GEORGE DEWEY, U. S. N. IN COMMAND OF THE SQUADRON WHICH DESTROYED THE SPANISH FLEET, MAY 1, 1898.

Diameter—127mm. Edge rounded to hold cardboard back in place.

Metal—Bar Pin and front of medal in brass. Back of medal in cardboard.

Manufacturer—James Murdock, Jr. (Cincinnati)

This token easily wins all laurels for originality and size in the series of Dewey store cards. It is at once a most curious, though fragile, item. A card of this character must have received a genuine reception at the hands of those who follow the spectacular. Made to wear upon the person, this badge might easily be identified a hundred or more feet from the wearer. The complete lack of stability and rigidity, which characterizes the composition of the badge and pin, gives weight to the thought that very few specimens must exist today. The writer's own specimen is the only one known to him at present except for one other in the Naval Academy collection, where it is presently catalogued as item No. 45 in the group of medals not mounted in cabinets. (Page 38 of the Catalogue of the Storer Collection). This latter piece was, of course, owned by Dr. Storer previously, and was listed by him in the June, 1922, issue of The "Numismatist", page 276, as item No. 41. About that same time, Lyman H. Low, of New Rochelle, also had a specimen, but there is reason to believe that this is the one now owned by the writer. Very, very rare and decidedly out of the ordinary.

18. A Card of Unknown Product or Advertiser.

Obv. Bust of Dewey to right in center. Legend at top OUR COUNTRY'S PRIDE followed by two stars set between two anchors. Legend at bottom ADMIRAL DEWEY followed by two stars between two anchors. Probably struck from same die as the Barrister Cigar card (No. 2).

Rev. In seven lines GOOD FOR 50c | ON ANY | CASH PURCHASE | OF \$10.00 | THE MODEL | ? ? | CORTLAND.

Diameter—30mm.

Metal—Aluminum.

Specimen from which the above information is taken is now in the Naval Academy collection, catalogued as No. 6 in Case 19. Formerly the property of Dr. Storer, who listed it in the June, 1922, issue of The "Numismatist" as No. 58 on page 277. Do not know of any other specimen. Extremely rare.

SUPPLEMENT TO COMMEMORATIVE STORE CARDS OF ADMIRAL DEWEY.

Since the preparation of the above paper, a fifth variety of the Kirkman Soap card has made its appearance. The obverse of this piece has the following die characteristics to differentiate it from the other cards of the series:

The armpit crack points to "w" of "Newark" (as in variety b); the "G" of "George" is beneath the period between "Co" and "Newark" (as in variety c).

The reverse of this card was struck from the conventional die used for all the other varieties in the series. In order to conform with the numbering plan followed in the listing and text, this card should be classified as number 10e. It is disappointing to report that the discovery of this new item has added practically no data pertaining to the mystery of the unequal die requirement experienced in the striking of the Kirkman series.

In addition to this piece, a uniface bronze medal has turned up which appears to have been struck from the same die as the obverse of the Bucklen

card (No. 3). This item, which was located in Chicago, has a reeded edge identical with the Bucklen medal, but the reverse side is entirely blank. The writer is of the opinion that the Bucklen card may have been executed by C. H. Hanson, of Chicago, as all of the known specimens of this card and also this unattributed uniface piece were individually found in the Chicago area. The general workmanship and excellence of execution of these medals are also indicative of the work of Hanson. In any event, the true nature of the uniface piece is uncertain, and its original purpose remains clothed in secrecy at the moment. The writer would appreciate any information which might lead to the proper attribution of this medal.

Silver Medal of Maj.-Gen. Zachary Taylor.

Bust of the general in uniform facing to the right. Within the outer border is the inscription, "Major General Zachary Taylor." The medal is 65mm. by 5mm. thick. The reverse has a wreath of oak and is inscribed in the center: "Resolution of Congress March 2nd 1847. Monterey September 1846." One medal was struck in gold, a few in silver for the War Department and a large number in bronze for the officers and men in his army. The medal here portrayed is of silver. It was the second time in a year that Congress awarded a gold medal to the general for his brilliant success in Mexico.



Zachary Taylor was born in Orange county, Virginia, on September 24, 1784. He spent the early years of his life in Kentucky. He entered the army about 1808, was captain in 1810, distinguished himself by his defense of Fort Harrison, on the Wabash River, against the Indians, led by Chief Tecumseh, on September 5, 1812, for which he was breveted major. For more than fourteen years he was engaged in fighting the Indians on the Northwest frontier. He was ordered to Florida in 1836 and won the battle of Okechobee against the Seminoles on December 25, 1837 and was then made commander-in-chief in Florida about 1838. About 1840 he was commander of the first division in the Southwest. About that year General Taylor moved to Louisiana, where he bought a plantation near Baton Rouge. He was appointed commander of the army of occupation in Texas, July, 1845. He defeated the Mexican armies in battle at Palo Alto and Resaca de la Palma, May 9, 1846; at Monterey, September 24, same year, and at Buena Vista, February 23, 1847. For these victories Congress gave him a vote of thanks and three gold medals. General Taylor became President of the United States March 5, 1849, and died at the White House in Washington, July 9, 1850. All Taylor medals are by the U. S. Mint.

THEODOR HENTGEN.

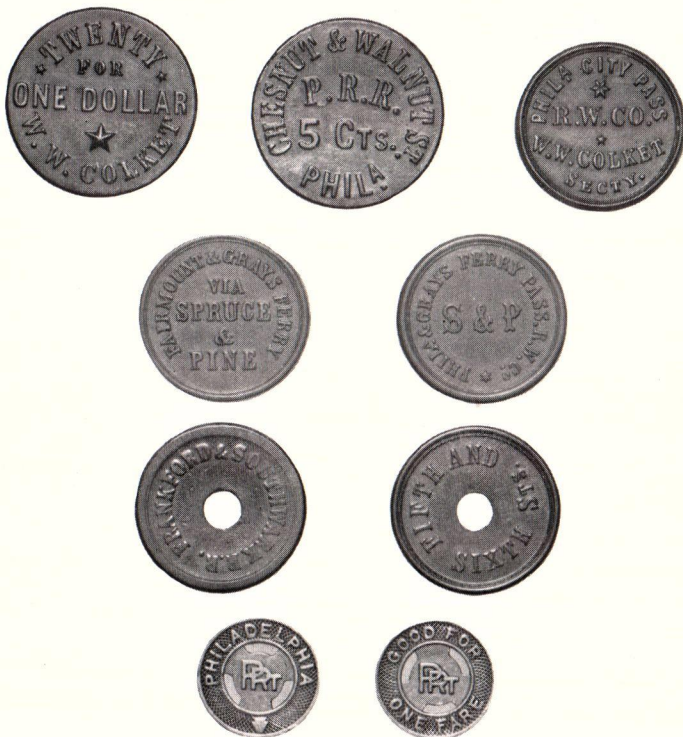
The Bronx, N. Y.

Regarding Transportation Tokens

By HARROLD E. GILLINGHAM
Philadelphia, Pa.

Mr. Morgenthau's article in the February issue of *The Numismatist* regarding transportation tokens being numismatic material was both interesting and instructive, and certainly these tokens have "a story to tell." Here is a story from a septuagenarian member of the A. N. A., which, while not strictly numismatic, may be of interest to those who know Philadelphia and its present transportation system.

During my boyhood days I lived in what was then farming country, although within the city limits, on the New York Division of the Pennsylvania Railroad. No street-car line was nearer than two miles of our home. During the early "seventies" of those mid-Victorian days the trains took us to the Kensington Station (called a depot then) at Front and Berks streets. The connecting railroad crossing the Schuylkill river at the Zoological Gardens had not been built. Front and Berks streets was at least five miles from where I attended school, at the southwest corner of Tenth and Chestnut streets, and from the depot we used a horse car which took us to Sixth and Chestnut streets.



And to those of the younger generation of numismatists, let me say that those horse cars were by no means "rapid transit." It took us at least forty minutes to travel the twenty-four blocks. The cars were small, accommodating about twenty-five passengers, and salt marsh hay was spread thickly on the floor, for two reasons. First to keep the feet warm in winter time

and secondly to absorb the tobacco juice expectorated therein by the tobacco chewers, who were numerous then. A smoky kerosene lamp was at each end and a small coal stove (about 10 inches in diameter) gave some heat during those bitterly cold winter days.

In those days the car fare was six cents a ride, but some of the street railway sold five tokens for a quarter dollar, lessening the cost per ride almost twenty per cent. The Chestnut and Walnut streets company sold their tokens only twenty for a dollar, differing from others which charged twenty-five cents for five. Nearly all of the tokens were a black hard rubber, carrying the company's name, save the Spruce and Pine streets line to the illustration were the earliest used by the Philadelphia City Passenger Railway Company, operating on Chestnut and Walnut streets, but later they economized and used a smaller token. This is the only one where the price of fare is shown and the name of an officer given. Those with the hole in the center, issued by the Fifth and Sixth Streets line (which I then used) were carried on a leather shoestring which the conductor tied to a coat button. When handing him the necessary quarter dollar, he untied the string from his button, unstrung five tokens, handed four to the passenger and deposited one in the fare container, and as a youngster I often wondered what would happen should he lose his string and drop the tokens in the six inches of salt hay on the floor.

The smallest tokens shown are those now used by The Philadelphia Rapid Transit Company and sold two for fifteen cents. They are made of nickel. These and other transportation tickets have been kept, not from a numismatic point of view, but to show the rising generation what were used for car fare more than sixty-five years ago.

Bank Bills (Credit)

Vs.

National Metallic Currency

By WILLIAM J. SCHULTZ
Cincinnati, Ohio

(Continued from February Issue)

Report by Mr. Gillet Continued.

"It is a fact, proved by all past experience, that when there are two or more circulating mediums, the one of the least value is certain to be the one principally used. Every person, in paying out currency or property, seeks first to rid himself of that which is the least valuable.

"One of the main objects of government is to protect those who are unable to protect themselves. If this be true, then your committee cannot see why our currency should not be so arranged as to meet the wants and convenience and protect the interests of that very large class, constituting ninety-nine hundredths of the people, whose pecuniary transactions are always small, instead of the manner now quite so common of arranging it with almost exclusive reference to those engaged in large transactions. There may be some inconveniences in a hard-money currency among those who are largely engaged in business, but while they are on equal footing with others they cannot complain.

Origin of Obsolete Bank Bills.

"But this is not so with the mechanic and farmer, when they are compelled to forego a constitutional currency and receive pay for their labor and commodities in paper, they are often the sufferers. It is upon them and not

upon the large dealer that counterfeit and spurious bills are palmed. It is impossible for them to become acquainted with the bills of 558 banks and 146 branches now chartered in the United States. They cannot know whether such banks exist, whether they are solvent or not, nor whether the bills are genuine.

Depreciated money is usually thrown upon this class of people, and experience has shown that when banks fail, they are by far the great sufferers. They have no intimation of the danger until it is upon them, while those more extensively engaged in transactions often foresee and avoid it.

Evils of Paper Currency Issued.

"But there are other evils incident to the use of a paper currency that do not attach to the use of coins. While the latter is issued and regulated by the Government and cannot be rapidly increased and never diminished by it, the former is made by individuals, is expanded and contracted by their will, as their interest, their passions or ignorance shall dictate.

"In 1811 there were in all 89 banks in the United States, having a capital of \$52,610,601 and having in their vaults \$15,400,000 in specie; and on the first of January, 1835, there were 558 banks and 146 branches—in all, 704—with an aggregate capital of \$231,250,337, having \$43,937,625 in specie.

"The difference in the proportion of specie to the capital between 1811 and 1835 is very striking. This fact is not stated with the view of showing that the banks are less able to pay their debts than they were then. Their ability to pay their liabilities depends upon the amount of good discounted paper bills of other banks, balances against other banks and property owned, as well as specie. The use of specie on hand is to meet any probable call for it in exchange for their bills.

Specie vs. Bank Bills.

"The entire circulation of a bank may be withdrawn and not a dollar of specie be called for. Most of the bills of banks are returned to them by other banks, and they are usually paid, not in specie, but, first, in the bills of the bank which returns them, then in such other bills on hand as may be acceptable, and lastly, in drafts upon such funds as the bank may have in other banks, or elsewhere, as shall be preferred to specie, and lastly in specie itself.

"If a bank, at its first attempt to issue its bills, knew with certainty that, immediately upon the issue and before the time for the payment of the discounted notes on which they were to issue, their bills would all be returned for specie, of course they would not issue them beyond the amount of specie on hand or that could be controlled for the occasion. If this is true as to one bank, it must be true as to all. Hence the amount of bills that could be safely loaned would be the amount of specie at command. This is an extreme case and not likely to occur, though quite possible.

Banks Can Issue Two-and-one-half Times Their Capitalization

"Banks generally enjoy the privilege of issuing two-and-a-half times the amount of their capital in bills. This, on the \$300,000,000 will allow an issue of paper to the amount of \$750,000,000. Whenever this amount or one approximating it is actually issued in paper money, there will be a rise in the price of property to a very great extent.

"At such a period let a panic actually spread over the land and the bills of banks be returned as they were, in some quarters, in 1834, the amount of circulation may be reduced to a point only to be determined by the extent and duration of the panic, and property will be greatly diminished in value. Those who contracted debts in the purchase of property will be ruined.

"The power of expanding and contracting our currency is one too fearful and tremendous to be trusted in any private hands. Government itself should only possess it, as the constitution has granted it, which is in the safest possible shape.

"It may happen that banks, not content with the advantage afforded by the ordinary vicissitudes of a financial currency, but for speculation or political effect, may act in concert and create a panic, stop the wheels of business

and even threaten a revolution, if the constituted authorities should not comply with certain conditions which they might indicate. It may become their pleasure, in the exercise of the power of associated wealth, to dictate to the country the terms of peace, by producing a scarcity of money, or by creating a panic when we are engaged in a war involving the honor of our country and perhaps our very liberties. Banks do not issue money, but bills which represent it.

"So far as the power of Congress will accomplish it, we ought to avoid the possibility of such consequences. In order to do so, such coins as have been indicated ought to be extensively fabricated by the Government and at its own expense and so disposed of as to aid their circulation to the greatest possible extent. As a second step, no bills of a less denomination than \$ 20 should be received in payment of the revenue, and no public money should be deposited in a bank issuing bills of a less denomination.

The Panic of the Year 1834.

"The banks, instead of helping in the hour of peril by issues, were obliged to curtail their discounts, collect their debts and prepare to meet runs for specie and such blows as should be aimed at them. Speculations and enterprises on borrowed capital proved disastrous and the country heard many tales of bankruptcy, distress and ruin. Laborers in the larger cities were dismissed from their employment because (as it was alleged) a single bank could not discount as it once had done. Had there been no circulating medium but gold and silver, these things could never have happened to anything like the extent indicated. Had all banks been loaners of constitutional currency, which would pay debts, these things could not have occurred; and had their loans been confined to loaning their actual capital, instead of their credit, such disasters would never have been recorded in our history. If they had loaned their capital in real money, there could have been a run for specie, and when money was paid in on a note due it would have been their interest to have loaned it again, and the supply in the hands of the community would have been uniform and no fluctuations—no rising or falling of property, to any considerable extent—could have occurred.

Banks Lend Bills—Its Credit, Not Specie.

"When the wealth of a city or village is associated in a bank, the latter in practice, almost the only loaners of money; but it never lends anything but its bills—its credit. It never lends money which is alike the world over and which is a tender of debts throughout the Union. It lends merely its credit, in the shape of bills, the cost of which will hardly equal the profit arising from their destruction of casualties. Long loans to men engaged in business will seldom be made by individuals, while associated wealth, in the shape of banks, yields a larger rate of interest than is customary upon loans. There are those who are pleased with the exercise of the power connected with the management of banks, which enables them to build up or crush whom they please, leaving the responsibility to rest with the secrets of the directors' room.

"Restore the country to a sound metallic currency, give protection to persons and property, leave industry and enterprise free and untrammelled by restrictions and unshadowed by the frowning form of monopolies, and our country will pursue her onward course in prosperity and renown unscathed by that unseen iron-hearted despot, the offspring of a paper currency, a panic. There will be stability and certainty in business that will perpetuate our prosperity.

(Concluded.)

Cincinnati, Ohio, January 31, 1939.

NEW ISSUE OF CENT PROPOSED TO SYMBOLIZE PEACE.

Senator James J. Davis, of Pennsylvania, has introduced a joint resolution in the Senate proposing an issue of one-cent pieces to symbolize Peace.

"Company—At Ease"

It has been said that the world's oldest hobby stands precisely on a "rocky precipice" somehow associated with a fork in the highway of progress. One road has been said to be as a "rocky embankment" and the other one to be a "rough descent." Beginners of numismatics may be upset by this serious forecast, but seasoned collectors will know that it is nothing else than a manifestation of the latest trend in coin collecting.

Without doubt, hobbies are affected by the tide of business prosperity, and it is generally admitted that business is well down from its 1936 peak. Those who recall the previous depression realize that coin prices dropped considerably, so it is not surprising that they have shown a tendency to weaken in the auctions of recent months. There is no doubt that the price of gold coins, Liberty standing quarters, and several others sets of United States coins have softened up in recent months.

If there are fewer advertisements in the pages of numismatic magazines this year, it is a decidedly healthy sign. It means that a large number of marginal dealers are retreating from the field. The recent commemorative debacle is responsible, without doubt, for the decline in advertising.

The writer doubts very much if this is the "first time in history that many collectors have deserted the hobby in disgust." Many of them previously deserted when they found that coins purchased at high prices brought fifty per cent. less than their cost at large auctions. Many more will leave in the future for this same reason.

If it is a fact that "thousands of people look upon collectors as thieves and liars because of some misleading advertisements," it will have the result of refining the standards of future business in the hobby.

Briefly, this is the history of the last ten years of numismatics in the United States. First of all, a depression drove prices steadily downward; secondly, some economic changes in the Treasury Department focused the attention of the public on money; third, the suddenly increased quantity of numismatic publications resulting from re-editing of old catalogs and guide books; fourth, the tendency for the public to hoard small coins during the depression; fifth, the patenting of a number of devices to hold and display coins, published not so much with the intent to serve present collectors, but to stimulate the saving of millions of coins from circulation by those of marginal numismatic interest; sixth, the commercializing of the entire hobby by the resumption of the coinage of commemorative half dollars without regard to merit or significance, some of them being a little short of public frauds; seventh, the recent intensive drive for new collectors carried out by the various clubs. These items seem to be the motivating force in the growth of numismatics in the United States. The result of this may be that with another depression such as the last we can expect a large number of people to realize that the hobby of numismatics is on no better plane than other commercialized hobbies.

Probably the best thing for numismatics would be a decline in the rate of newly found collectors and a further decline in the advertising. By this means we will retain sincere collectors and a sufficient number of legitimate dealers who can make a profit and at the same time render a real numismatic service.

When it comes to interesting children in the hobby, it seems that the Association has gone far enough in sponsoring a merit badge for the Boy Scouts of America. To widely encourage coin collecting among children will have the effect of increasing the number of unscrupulous dealers who will be quick to take advantage of the ignorance of young collectors. Junior coin clubs have been started in several cities, but it is difficult to prove if there has been a definite carry over of membership or interest after these boys have become eligible as adult collectors. In several cases the experience was that collecting as children removed the possibility that they would retain their interest as adults. In a dozen cases, they were sold junk at extraordinary prices.

The best way for young people to collect items in a hobby such as this is to procure them through family connections, trading or other occasional acquisitions. If we follow the letter of the law in the requirements for the

Scout merit badge, it almost makes it mandatory for the Scout to purchase a set of coin holders from a dealer. In view of the fact that many serious adult collectors have repudiated these holders, the Scout requirements might be waived.

If numismatics is to go after "bigger game," it should be borne in mind that most wealthy men are already collectors, and a large percentage of them are not "joiners" or socially inclined in hobby affairs.

Rather than to "Move Forward, Please," numismatics might better come to attention or stand "at ease" and take stock of itself.

North Tonawanda, N. Y.

R. H. LLOYD.

ORDER PROHIBITING HOARDING OF GOLD COINS.

In our January issue we reprinted the text of President Roosevelt's order of April 5, 1933, prohibiting the hoarding of gold coin, gold bullion and gold certificates.

Below we reprint an amendment of Executive Order No. 6260 of August 28, 1933, affecting the acquisition of gold coin and gold bullion.

"The first paragraph of Section 4 of Executive Order No. 6260 of August 28, 1933, relating to the hoarding, export, and earmarking of gold coin, bullion, or currency, and to transactions in foreign exchange is hereby amended to read as follows:

"Sec. 4. Acquisition of Gold Coin and Gold Bullion.—No person other than a Federal Reserve bank shall after the date of this order acquire in the United States any gold coin, gold bullion, or gold certificates except under licence therefor issued pursuant to this Executive order, provided that member banks of the Federal Reserve System may accept delivery of such coin, bullion, and certificates for surrender promptly to a Federal Reserve bank, and provided further that persons requiring gold for use in the industry, profession, or art in which they are regularly engaged may replenish their stocks of gold up to an aggregate amount of \$100, by acquisitions of gold bullion held under licenses issued under Section 5(b), without necessity of obtaining a licence for such acquisitions; and provided further that collectors of rare and unusual coin may acquire from one another and hold without necessity of obtaining a license therefor gold coin having a recognized special value to collectors of rare and unusual coin (but not including quarter eagles, otherwise known as \$2.50 pieces, unless held, together with rare and unusual coin, as part of a collection for historical, scientific or numismatic purposes, containing not more than four quarter eagles of the same date and design and struck by the same mint).

"Section 6 of the aforesaid order is hereby amended by adding thereto the following subparagraph:

"(e) Through any agency that he may designate, the export of gold coin having a recognized special value to collectors of rare and unusual coin (but not including quarter eagles, otherwise known as \$2.50 pieces, unless held, together with rare and unusual coin, as part of a collection for historical, scientific, or numismatic purposes, containing not more than four quarter eagles of the same date and design and struck by the same mint).

"FRANKLIN D. ROOSEVELT.

"The White House, January 12, 1934."

DOMESTIC COINAGE FOR JANUARY, 1939.

	Philadelphia.	San Francisco.	Denver.
Quarter dollars	828,000		
Dimes	1,770,000		750,000
Nickels	5,637,000		
Cents	9,314,000	5,300,000	2,000,000
Commemorative half dollars:			
Arkansas, 1936-1939	2,104	2,105	2,104
Oregon Trail, 1939	3,004	3,005	3,004
	17,554,108	5,305,110	2,755,108

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Editorial Comment—Numismatic News

BUYING COINS FROM THE MINT.

I feel that the continued attitude of the U. S. Treasury Department has come to a point where the members of the American Numismatic Association should protest as a body, and in so doing make it possible for the average coin collector to have a decent break comparable with that of the stamp collector. This year a new ruling of the Treasury Department states that no more than two coins of any one issue will be available to each collector (uncirculated coins). Stamp collectors may buy as many stamps as they wish.

I have just received a letter from the Philadelphia Mint in reply to my request for a proof Jefferson nickel, telling me that only complete sets will be issued. I have always collected dates of dimes, nickels and cents. Why should I be forced to buy a complete set for which I have no use. Several months ago I wrote the Treasury Department requesting specimens of 5c., 1c. and 10c. unc. of Denver and San Francisco Mints, and received in reply a letter telling me I must apply to the Federal Reserve Bank for these coins.

It seems to me the Treasury Department is doing everything in its power

to discourage the numismatist. In writing this letter I am hoping that the Association may bring this whole matter to the attention of the proper authorities and thereby bring about a more co-operative attitude by the Treasury Department.

ERIC LEAVENS (A. N. A. 4064).

Alston Court, Red Bank, N. J.

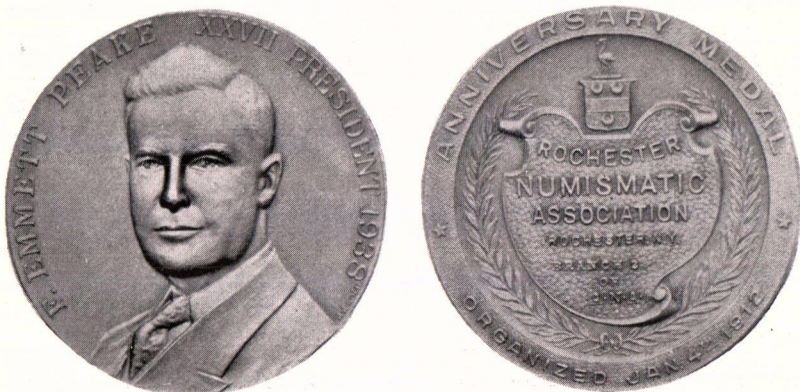
The letter from the Philadelphia Mint referred to by Mr. Leavens reads as follows:

"This is to acknowledge receipt of your order for one 1938 proof coin and cash in the amount of 28 cents enclosed. Please be advised that we are unable to fill your order for 1938 proof Jefferson nickel, as the 1938 proof coins we have on hand are a limited supply of full sets that are being held available for sale in sets only until sold.

"We will thank you for immediate advice as to whether you desire to increase your remittance to cover the cost of a full set (\$1.81 plus postage and parcel post insurance 8c.) or to cancel your order. In the absence of an immediate reply your remittance will be returned to you in due course.

"By RALPH ROLAND, Acting Superintendent."

ROCHESTER ASSOCIATION ISSUES PRESIDENTIAL MEDAL.



Following its annual custom, the Rochester Numismatic Association, Rochester, N. Y., has issued its presidential medal for 1938. The president during the past year was F. Emmett Peake, and the obverse of the medal bears his portrait.

The reverse is from a die used throughout the series. The obverse die is by A. A. Kolb, a member of the Rochester Association.

DESIGN OF JEFFERSON NICKEL NOT TO BE CHANGED.

Almost invariably when a coin of new design is issued in the United States there are rumors that the coins are to be withdrawn from circulation and some changes, radical or otherwise, are to be made in the designs. The result is that the new coins are hoarded in the hope that some day they may command a premium. The new Jefferson nickel is no exception. Since this coin made its appearance there have been rumors that it was to be withdrawn from circulation. At a recent press conference, however, Henry Morgenthau, Jr., Secretary of the Treasury, said that 32,000,000 of the new nickels had been minted and their apparent scarcity was probably due to their being saved as souvenirs. Regarding their withdrawal, he said: "I hereby make a formal statement that the Jefferson nickel will not be withdrawn from circulation. I am aware of no defects."

COUNTERMARKS AGAIN.

The dozen countermarks on W. M. Booth's coin may be Chinese chop-marks, put on as a guarantee of genuineness by banks or business firms in China. If so, of course they should look like Chinese characters. There are Spanish coppers with several countermarks, sixteenth or seventeenth century I think; some may be numerals, like VIII, etc. And I have seen a halfpenny with over a dozen different jewellers' marks, the kind of thing one finds on a silver plate. The date is eighteenth or nineteenth century, and, frankly, I do not know what the piece is, unless some jeweller collected the marks of his fellow tradesmen or friends.

I'm glad to hear of any graffiti, for I am keeping a record of them. I must say that most of them are about as meaningless as one could imagine, and it is not always possible to say when a coin was scratched, nor why. But correspondence on the subject is welcome to me.

THOMAS OLLIVE MABBOTT.

NEW OR RECENT ISSUES.



Turkey—Nickel or composition 1 kurus, dated 1938, with scalloped edge. This edge treatment is quite new for coins of Turkey. (Specimen from the New Netherlands Coin Company, New York City.)

NEW OR RECENT ISSUES.

Newfoundland—Bronze cent, dated 1938, bearing the head of King George VI. This is the first copper coin issued for Newfoundland in the reduced size. The last copper coinage, struck in 1936, was of the large size—ap-



proximately that of our quarter dollar. The new coin corresponds in size with the regular Canadian cent and our Lincoln cent. (Specimen from the New Netherlands Coin Company, New York City.)

FROM COMMEMORATIVES TO ALEXANDER THE GREAT.

I have been collecting coins since July, 1936, so I suppose you would call me a "new" collector. I have been interested in the articles that have appeared from time to time in *The Numismatist* relative to the effect the commemorative coins have had on collectors, and particularly on the members that got the "bug" on the crest of the commemorative wave.

Until the summer of 1936 I had no interest in collecting coins. I had been in the retail business for fourteen years and had made a business of handling money all day long, but to me it was just a means to purchase or satisfy a want or desire. I had a friend who often asked me to let him look through the cash drawer to see if he could find any rare dates, or dates he needed to fill in. This had no interest to me, until one day he mentioned

commemorative coins. I did not know there were so many; all that I had ever heard of were the Columbian and Stone Mountain. Out of this remark grew a visit to his house to see his collection, and then I was on the bandwagon. I kept up with all the new issues until 1938, and ordered old ones when I could. I obtained coins from the commissions in every case, and had fair treatment, but became disgusted and let down when prices continued to be raised by commissions.

My interest in commemoratives was aroused because I am a lover of history. When the price on them rose above reasonable limits I turned to ancient and historical coins, and have more interest in them than ever in commemoratives, and am doing a great deal of historical reading from books I have purchased and obtained from the library. I expect to continue to collect all coins in general, but particularly historical coins, as finances permit, and to study them and their history as time permits.

So, although commemoratives have been "cussed" and "recussed," I owe them my interest in coins, and am sure that if the "new" collector is interested in history there is a wonderful field awaiting him, if he has lost interest in commemoratives.

Relative to dealers, I have had wonderful treatment, prompt, efficient and courteous, from the larger ones. They seem to be glad to answer questions that ultimately put you on the right track. Other dealers which I would classify in a volume way as smaller, do not answer your letters promptly or at all, even though I send postage in all cases.

I am situated, as I suppose numbers of other members are, not near to any large numismatic centers or organizations. The only way we can obtain information is to write, and from my personal retail experience it seems to me good business dictates that the free information or service that you give with a smile pays untold dividends in the future.

Although I do live in the "shoeless" South, my home is in one of the very best States in the Union, and some day we may have an outstanding numismatic organization. Steady and consistent buyers build the dealers' business, and information, promptness, and fair dealing build good-will and the organization.

F. GARLAND COBLE, A. N. A. 6436.

Greensboro, N. C.

THE FORT PECK PROPOSED HALF DOLLAR.

The Numismatist has received the following letter:

"The enclosed postal card (which is self-explanatory) is in reply to a letter asking an immediate reply (a previous request for refund being ignored) addressed to D. A. Crichton, of Great Falls, Mont. Please note that—

"(a) The same is unsigned by the writer, but could from its context emanate from only the one source.

"(b) A demand for a cut of an unknown amount of a sum acknowledged to be rightfully due.

"I suggest that publication of this card with a request that other readers of The Numismatist who are similarly in the same fix be collected by the magazine in order that their collective cases be turned over to some Government agency (I suggest the Postoffice Department) in order that your advice on page 14 of the January magazine be realized.

"In case you may ask that I give my stand on the matter, I think that in all fairness the Fort Peck aggregation not only should not exact a cut but should pay two years' interest on sums they hold for coins they cannot deliver.

Respectfully,

"ALF. T. WHITMAN (A. N. A.)

"San Pedro, Cal."

The postal card referred to by Mr. Whitman reads as follows:

"We have your card of the 10th and wish to advise that our bill is not a dead issue and we hope to have the bill passed in the future. However, those people who do not care to wait and see what happens may have their money refunded upon request of same but there will be a small charge on all orders refunded before the fate of our bill is definitely known.

"FORT PECK MEMORIAL ASSOCIATION."

THE CASTORLAND MEDAL PAMPHLET IN ENGLISH.

Members of the A. N. A. who are interested in the paper published in "Le Bulletin des Recherches Historiques" concerning the Castorland coinage, as reported by the Librarian under "Recent Acquisitions" in the December issue, will be glad to learn that a copy of this paper in English has been made available through the generous assistance of James H. White, of New York.

No other article the Librarian has seen reports in so complete detail the story of the little band of Parisian colonists who tried to found a settlement in the northern part of New York in 1793. While only meagre information is given about the half dollar itself, much historical data is provided as a background for the coinage.

The English translation of this paper will be loaned to any member on request, along with the original paper in French.

WILLIAM S. DEWEY, Librarian.

NEW OR RECENT ISSUES.



Australia—Silver sixpence of George VI, dated 1938. The reverse design is similar to previous issues. (Specimen from Guttag Bros., New York City.)

NEW OR RECENT ISSUES.



Cyprus—Nickel 1 piastre, dated 1938. (This issue was referred to in last month's issue.) (Specimen from Guttag Bros., New York City.)

SERIAL NUMBER ODDITIES ON \$1 CERTIFICATES.

Several times during recent years paper money collectors have puzzled over the reason why certain silver certificates of \$1 denominations have serial numbers terminating in the suffix letter "B." With the introduction of the series of 1935 a new series of numbers began with the suffix letter "A" and ran through the series from the prefix letter "A" down through the last three years through the prefix letter "T." However, a certain number of notes of the series "B-A" and "C-A" appeared with the "B's" instead of "A's" as suffix letters.

We quote from a letter received from the Bureau of Printing and Engraving:

"Your certificate (C01,263,845B) is one of the 3,300,000 \$1 silver certificates, series 1935, delivered in the latter part of the calendar year 1937, numbered from C00,000,001B to C03,300,00B, which was regular work. At the same time there were delivered an equal number of \$1 silver certificates, series 1935, numbered from B00,000,001B to B03,300,00B. This was plated by a new method. These two deliveries were made for the

purpose of determining any objectionable conditions due to the new method of plating."

Attention is called to the fact that this experimental number has occurred in previous series. Notes bearing these distinguishing serial letters are rather small in the total quantity issued and hence should prove desirable for collectors. The notes have apparently circulated as well as any others. We are fortunate to be able to obtain clear explanations of this variety. In the early days of American paper money, even up to 1890, many small changes and alterations were made on the notes and in the note paper which have largely gone unexplained even to this day. It is this sort of thing which makes the field of United States currency an interesting opportunity for research by serious collectors.

ROBERT H. LLOYD.

January 23, 1939.

MEMBERS OF WESTCHESTER COUNTY COIN CLUB GIVEN MEDALS.

The idea of having a commemorative coin issued to mark the 250th anniversary of the founding of New Rochelle, N. Y., originated with the members of the Westchester County Coin Club. The work of getting a bill through Congress authorizing the issue and the distribution of the coins was in the hands of the New Rochelle 250th Anniversary Committee.

To show its appreciation of the assistance given the committee by the Westchester County Coin Club, a medal in sterling silver has been struck,



a specimen of which has been presented to each of its members. Accompanying each medal was the following statement from the Committee: "In recognition that the idea of a New Rochelle Half Dollar originated with the Westchester County Coin Club."

The obverse shows the seal of New Rochelle with the additional legend "250th Anniversary—1688-1938." The reverse is inscribed "Presented to Westchester County Coin Club by 250th Anniversary Committee, New Rochelle, N. Y., June, 1938." When the first few were issued it was discovered that a Latin word under the seal on the obverse had been misspelled, "mumquam" instead of "nunquam." Distribution was at once stopped, the dies were revamped and new medals with the correct spelling were struck.

A COLLECTOR'S PHILOSOPHY.

When we read a book on coins, another thinks for us; we merely repeat his mental process. Reading what others have consigned to paper about their findings is as it should be, but in order to assimilate knowledge of our own collection we must study our numismatic items. Thoughts reduced to print are nothing more than the footprint of the wayfarer in the sand. One sees well enough the way he has taken, but in order to know what he saw on the way we must use our own eyes. If a collector has only a few items and knows their history, then his hobby provides pleasure to himself and his friends.

THEODOR HENTGEN.

The Bronx, New York.

National Coin Week, March 25-31.

Plans for the observance of Coin Week, March 25 to 31, are under way in more than 90 cities and towns throughout the United States, with newspapers and radio stations cooperating nearly 100 per cent. with participating clubs.

"Make America Coin Conscious," the slogan adopted for Coin Week, already is making itself felt over the nation, despite the fact that actual observance is nearly six weeks away as this is being written. First public announcement in a large newspaper was in the Chicago Tribune, Sunday, February 5.

The contest committee has set up complete rules for the awarding of prizes, which will be numismatic books purchased by the American Numismatic Association, sponsor of Coin Week. On this committee are David M. Bullowa, Martin F. Kortjohn and Lewis M. Reagan. Reports by clubs must be in the hands of Mr. Bullowa by April 30, 1939. These reports should cover every possible phase of the participation, and signed by the president and secretary of the club, as well as by the chairman. Individuals also are taking part and a special prize will be given the individual participating although not a member of a club in his locality.

Following are a few comments received during the first days of February, indicating the widespread interest in Coin Week:

What They're Doing—And Saying.

"The Dayton club is doing all it can to make National Coin Week a success in our part of the State. Newspaper columns are being prepared, as well as radio chats. We need about 50 of the display cards. Wishing you best of success for Coin Week."—Luther H. Whitt, secretary Dayton Coin Club.

"Was just appointed chairman of the Brooklyn Club Coin Week committee and will cooperate with you in every way. Best of luck."—A. Kosoff (member general committee also).

"Collectors of the San Francisco area and the Junior Collectors already are making preparations for observing the week in a big way. Awaiting additional information and hoping for a nation-wide success of the week."—Roy Hill, numismatic writer and counselor, Junior Coin Collectors.

"Our club has voted to observe Coin Week and has a good committee at work. I'll let you know what we are doing here from time to time. If there is anything else I can do, let me know."—J. Norman Crosby, secretary, Fairfield County Numismatic Association.

"Each day brings new and interesting developments in the observance of Coin Week. You can count on the East."—David M. Bullowa, Eastern chairman, A. N. A. Coin Week.

"Dr. Francis Cady, 1130 Granite Bldg., has been appointed Coin Week chairman."—Floyd B. Newell, secretary, Rochester Numismatic Association.

"The Trumbull Coin, Stamp and Curio Club, Warren, Ohio, desires to inform you members will cooperate in the observance of National Coin Week, March 25 to 31. Local newspapers, merchants, and various clubs have consented to cooperate with us."—C. L. Stillinger, secretary-treasurer, Trumbull Coin, Stamp and Curio Club.

"You can count on us for all needed aid in making Coin Week a success in this area. I am having some display cards printed for use in this locality, and already have one speech arranged. Best wishes for Coin Week success."—Ed Lee, Glendale, Cal., a district chairman.

"There is no coin club in my city, but I am interested in Coin Week and will work on it here. Please send me the radio script, speech and other material."—Herman Boraker, Rocky Ford, Col. (This is a sample of several such letters from individuals who will take part.

"Please send mimeographed copies of model Coin Week talks. I have put on some shows and talks already. I am all alone up here, but I will do what I can to help."—Dr. R. A. Kreher, Mondovi, Wis.

"I can assure you and all those connected with this project that our club is 100 per cent. for the revival of Coin Week. The founder of our club, Julius Gutttag, is one of the early originators of this idea. In anticipation of Coin Week, I already have slated a talk before a Boy Scout troop in my

city. If I may be of further assistance, please do not hesitate to write."—Saul Bellus, secretary, Westchester County Coin Club.

Chairmen Bullowa and Hammer advise clubs and Coin Week chairmen not to pass up this opportunity to try and sign new members for local clubs and the American Numismatic Association. Credit in the contest will be given for new members obtained as a part of this project. It also was pointed out Coin Week publicity and activities may be started at any time, with concentration of course March 25 to 31. Out in Iowa all seven local clubs are participating in Coin Week, although two of these were formed only this year! In New York, Mr. Bullowa and others actively interested in the project have been at work since January.

T. R. HAMMER, General Chairman.

Burlington, Iowa, Feb. 14.

ATLANTA COIN CLUB BANQUET.

The tenth annual banquet of the Atlanta Coin Club was held at the Henry Grady Hotel on January 18 at 7 P. M. President D. R. Sanders presided and introduced Thomas L. Elder, of New York, who delivered an instructive and highly interesting address.



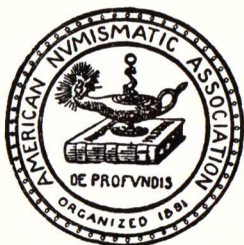
Seated (left to right)—Mrs. M. Morgan, Mrs. E. Tomlinson, Dr. George Brown, Thomas L. Elder, D. R. Sanders, J. J. Gonzales, Mds. Edward Harrison, Mrs. C. L. Denk, Mrs. J. J. Gonzales.

Standing (right to left)—C. L. Denk, E. N. Buchanan, Harry Moses, Faber Bollinger, Edwin Harrison, E. P. Morgan, Burt Lanier, C. L. Bird, B. B. DuBose, Ray Latham, Carlton DuBose, (J. H. Hardwick), Frank O'Rear, (Gordon Hardwick), T. J. Smith, Ernest Tomlinson, George M. Todd.

Brief remarks were made by Messrs. Bollinger, Bird, Denk, Todd, Hardwick, Tomlinson, Warner, Gonzales, of Atlanta, and T. J. Smith, of McRae, Ga., and R. W. Latham, of Gainesville, Ga. Twenty-eight members, including a few guests, were present.

DEATH OF DR. HANS NUSSBAUM, PH.D.

The death is announced of Dr. Hans Nussbaum, Ph.D., following an aeroplane accident at Senlis, Switzerland. Dr. Nussbaum was prominent in numismatic circles in central Europe. He formerly was a member of the numismatic firm of Leo Hamburger, of Frankfurt-Main, Germany, and in recent years had established himself in Zurich, Switzerland.



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Frank MacNeill, 2719 1/2 N. 24th St., Omaha, Neb. Coin and Stamp Dealer. Collects Minor Coins. A. A. Allwine, Louis W. Kroeger, L. A. Hensley.
James M. Johnson, Court House, Omaha, Neb. Minor Coins. A. A. Allwine, Louis W. Kroeger, L. A. Hensley.
Sam Levi, 520 E. Broad St., Richmond, Va. Commemorative Halves and U. S. Coins. Jos. B. Stack, Irwin D. Forman.
J. Berry King, 1905 N. Brauer, Oklahoma City, Okla. General. Jake B. Sureck, M. Vernon Sheldon.

- Ronald B. Shores**, 508 Laurel Road, Yeadon, Pa. Dollars, U. S. and Foreign. Chas. S. Hall, E. M. Smith, C. J. Finke.
- Robert W. Heuer**, 3423 S. E. Belmont St., Portland, Ore. General. Dr. P. B. Firth, Geo. A. Pipes, Russell R. Walbridge.
- John P. Toth**, 2720 Main St., Munhall, Pa. General. Geo. Zimmerman, Chas. Manning.
- Chas. B. Fowler**, 90 Main St., Williamstown, Mass. General. Walter P. Nichols, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- F. H. Brookes**, 515 Roseville Ave., Newark, N. J. General. Everett C. Simms, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- Charles N. Ricard**, 1837 E. 79th St., Cleveland, Ohio. General. M. R. Cohen, Chas. H. Fisher.
- LeRoy A. Rosenthal**, Care United States Paper Mills, Chambersburg, Pa. General. H. A. W. Geiger, E. B. Huber, C. P. Winter.
- Edsel W. Madsen**, Hampton, Neb. U. S. General. L. A. Hensley, Louis D. Otts, H. W. Eberhard.
- Harold Spradlin**, Box 213, Lindsay, Okla. All U. S. Coins. Elbert M. Whitwell, Lewis M. Reagan.
- J. H. Highland**, 1840 Melrose, Rockford, Ill. General. Ernest Moore, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- Fred W. Heinz**, 1039 Hollywood Ave., Chicago, Ill. War Decorations, Orders and Medals. J. Henri Ripstra, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- A. F. Gibson**, 475 Pearl St., Beaumont, Texas. General. M. L. Love, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- LeRoy F. Reeves**, 1035 Miller Rd., S. W., Warren, Ohio. U. S. General. B. W. Folsom, H. W. Walker.
- Roscoe F. Ballard**, 37 E. Mowry St., Chester, Pa. Colonial and U. S. Copper. G. J. Patterson, Ira S. Reed.
- Louis Bell**, 1043 W. 6th St., Los Angeles, Cal. General. Lewis M. Reagan, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- Carl J. Carlson**, Slaughter Apts., Boone, Iowa. All U. S. Coins. Walter P. Bohler, Lewis K. Ferguson, C. W. Kading.
- Richard B. Farley**, "Sarobia," Eddington, Pa. U. S. Coins. Ira S. Reed, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- J. L. Stacy**, American Trust Company, Charlotte, N. C. U. S. Cents. W. B. Bradford, F. H. Ehlers, F. W. DeArmon.
- Charles F. Clark**, 322 Kerns Ave., Wasena, Roanoke, Va. General. F. S. Cram, J. C. Martin, Jr., Maurice Gould.
- A. A. Shear, Jr.**, 1898 Cartwright Ave., Beaumont, Texas. Commemoratives (U. S.), Early Half Dollars (U. S.). Lewis M. Reagan, R. Broussard.
- Burlington, Iowa, Coin Club**, Room 216, Burlington Hotel, Burlington, Iowa. General. Ted Hammer, A. V. Eisenhard, Wm. Hockstad.
- James H. Foley, Jr.**, 37 Congress Ave., Providence, R. I. General. Horace M. Grant, Wilna B. MacIntosh.
- Fred S. Crowther**, 18 Berkshire Rd., Wellesley Hills, Mass. U. S. Cents, Nickels, Dimes and Quarters. Walter P. Nichols, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- James A. Mastrangelo**, 49 East 34th St., New York City, N. Y. General. Lewis M. Reagan, L. W. Welsh.
- Harry Biermann**, 1008 W. 3rd St., Wilmington, Del. General. Chas. Buckalew. M. Vernon Sheldon.
- Jasper Wooldridge**, 1140 E. Rio Grande St., Apt. 7, El Paso, Texas. U. S. Coins. L. W. Hoeffcker, R. W. Emery, M. D., H. Z. Collier.
- Dr. Conway A. Bolt**, P. O. Box 156, Marshville, N. C. Minor U. S. Coins, especially Cents. C. E. Hussman, Lewis M. Reagan.
- Harry C. Nissen**, 294 Tryon Road, So. Glastonbury, Conn. American and Canadian Coins. Frank S. Flagg, Leon L. Steele.
- Albert L. Reibling**, 1214 North Ave., New Rochelle, N. Y. U. S. Coins. Julius Gutttag, Saul Bellus.
- Jerold H. Van Alsbury**, 61 W. Kinzie St., Chicago, Ill. Small Cents, Nickels and Silver Dollars. L. E. Armant, Barney Bluestone.
- Donald C. Stewart**, 1853 Hamlin St., Seattle, Wash. U. S. Coins. Paul Fouts, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- Henry C. Barkhorn, Jr.**, 45 Johnson Ave., Newark, N. J. Gold and Silver Coins of the German States. Chas. F. Nettleship, Jr., George H. Blake, Richard D. Nelson.

- H. E. Downhour**, Box 1731, Shreveport, La. General. Frank E. Hudson, George M. Agurs.
- James Duce**, 815 Monroe, Denver, Col. General. Jacob G. Willson, H. A. Davis, R. G. Shankland.
- Albert N. Kimball, Jr.**, 13 Frances Ave., Auburn, R. I. U. S. Coins, especially Cents. Kenneth A. Burke, D. B. Lothrop, Earl H. Potter.
- Mrs. Doris G. Gifford**, 2664 North Clark St., Chicago, Ill. General. Pierre Page, Sr., M. Vernon Sheldon.
- Hampton Nowlin**, 3100 Michigan Ave., Kansas City, Mo. Antiques and Coins. H. E. Rowold, Don Davis, Mrs. W. H. Wilkinson.
- Mrs. Theresa Lang**, 6539 Commodore Sloat Dr., Los Angeles, Cal. U. S. General. Kenneth W. Lee.
- S. Z. Oppenheim**, 630 E. Lincoln Ave., Mt. Vernon, N. Y. U. S. Coins. Jos. B. Stack, Harry J. Stein.
- Viola Bruecker**, 336 Acheson Bldg., Berkeley, Cal. U. S. Coins. Harvey L. Hansen, Roy Hill.
- Richard J. Kearney**, 585 7th St., Brooklyn, N. Y. Modern Coins. D. M. Bullowa, M. Wormser.
- J. W. Starr**, 301 W. 11th St., Kansas City, Mo. Commemoratives, Miscellaneous. H. E. Rowold, Francis Wornall.
- Harold E. Hill**, 361 Woodlawn Ave., Jersey City, N. J. General. Chas. F. Nettleship, Jr., George H. Blake, W. H. Arthur.
- Chas. A. Neves**, Box 358, Gainesville, Ga. U. S. General. J. J. Gonzales, Ray W. Latham.
- Louis V. Perkins**, Estherville, Iowa. Half Cents. Large and Small Cents. Lewis M. Reagan, A. C. Peitersen, W. R. Sidles.
- Dr. D. D. Stewart**, Lock Box 8, Gladstone, Mich. Silver Dollars (U. S. especially). Lewis M. Reagan, M. Vernon Sheldon.
- S. B. Segall**, 192 S. Main St., Waterbury, Conn. General. Oscar G. Schilke, Patrick J. Kennedy.
- H. C. Howsam**, 6640 No. Artesian, Chicago, Ill. U. S. General. M. Vernon Sheldon, J. Henri Ripstra.
- Rev. Albert J. Klein**, 159 Reed Ave., Campbell, Ohio. U. S. Cents and Nickels. Sam Kabealo, J. I. Zimmer, Henry W. Snyder.
- Benjamin H. Crosby, Jr.**, 160 Broad St., Providence, R. I. Half Dollars. Horace M. Grant, Wilna B. MacIntosh.

Life Membership Application.

- William Snowden Dewey**, 186 Beechwood Ave., Mount Vernon, N. Y. Coins of the World, Medals of Admiral Dewey, and Medals of the Telephone Industry. J. Henri Ripstra, Wm. G. Rayson, R. L. McBrien.

Resignations.

- 6297 M. C. Holcomb, Long Beach, Cal.
- 3534 Hugo Grunthal, Berlin, Germany.
- 5790 James Sidway, Cleveland, Ohio.
- 5890 Irl R. Robinson, San Francisco, Cal.
- 4574 Louis W. Miller, Troy, N. Y.
- 3537 Robert T. Creamer, Jr., Baltimore, Md.
- 5699 Harlan F. Torrey, Hartford, Conn.
- 5693 Jacob H. Portnoy, D. D. S., Brooklyn, N. Y.
- 6506 Rev. F. J. Winter, San Antonio, Texas.
- 2702 Dr. Arnold Keller, Berlin, Germany.
- 6093 Bernard Schiffman, Laurelton, L. I., N. Y.
- 4815 Robert O. Meyer, Detroit, Mich.
- 6532 Charles McCorkhill, Salem, Ohio.
- 5416 Theodore A. Remes, Brooklyn, N. Y.
- 5937 William L. Davidson, D. D. S., Hartford, Conn.
- 5108 George Varney, Imperial, Cal.
- 4116 Perley P. Hamilton, Stow, Mass.
- 6021 James T. Brownlee, Wolf Point, Mont.
- 5641 A. H. Savereide, Harlan, Iowa.
- 7020 Ralph W. Baker, Burlington, Iowa.
- 6628 Kenneth G. Lewis, Wellesley, Mass.

- 4564 James M. Munro, Bogota, N. J.
 5995 Floyd G. Marsh, Chicago, Ill.

Deaths.

- 5725 William E. Andrews, Stratford, Conn.
 6487 E. Goodell Sherman, Balboa Island, Cal.
 5070 C. E. Thomas, Montclair, N. J.
 3436 Philip S. Stevens, Chicago, Ill.

Club Secretaries for 1939.

- Western Reserve Numismatic Club, John W. Gregor, Secy., 50 Court St., Cleveland, Ohio.
 Fugio Club of Shreveport, Frank E. Hydson, Secy., P. O. Box 1119, Shreveport, La.
 Northwest Coin Club, Paul Olson, Secy., 616 S. 3rd St., Minneapolis, Minn.
 Brooklyn Coin Club, Chas. P. Knoth, Secy., 115-120 226th St., St. Albans, L. I., N. Y.
 Detroit Coin Club, Wilfred Rowe, Secy., 619 W. Maplehurst Ave., Ferndale, Mich.
 The Bronx Coin Club, David M. Bullowa, Secy., 10 W. 86th St., New York City, N. Y.
 Atlanta Coin Club, George M. Todd, Secy., 1614 Hurt Blvd., Atlanta, Ga.
 Iowa Numismatic Association, W. M. Baker, Secy., Room 7, Union Station, Davenport, Iowa.

Changes of Address.

- Sol Orabella, from 105 Crosby St., New York City, N. Y., to 68 Prince St., New York City, N. Y.
 James W. Harper, from 909 N. E. St., Oklahoma City, Okla., to P. O. Box 513, Oklahoma City, Okla.
 Russell L. Hutchings, from 615 E. Blaine St., Clarinda, Iowa, to 219 S. 18th St., Clarinda, Iowa.
 M. C. Nivison, from 62 Lapham Park, Webster, N. Y., to 540 Ninth St., North, St. Petersburg, Fla.
 Robert C. Waldeim, from 255 Norwood St., Sharon, Mass., to 245 Norwood St., Sharon, Mass.
 Lt.-Com. Ralph W. Hungerford, from U. S. S. San Francisco, Long Beach, Cal., to Care Postmaster, New York City, N. Y.
 Erle Williams, from P. O. Box 72, Alpine, Texas, to P. O. Box 30, Alpine, Texas.
 Garrit Wiers, Ph. M., from U. S. Naval Hospital, Mare Island, Cal., to U. S. S. Mississippi, H Division, Care Postmaster, San Pedro, Cal.
 John Edwin Travis, from 483 Willis Ave., The Bronx, N. Y., to 227 E. 70th St., New York City, N. Y.
 Dr. Vincent Hernandez, from U. S. S. Vincennes, Care Postmaster, New York City, N. Y., to Naval Dispensary, Navy Department, Washington, D. C.
 Emerson Buel, from 6 Main St., Otsego County, Burlington Flats, N. Y., to P. O. Box 53, Burlington Flats, N. Y.
 Robert Mandelbaum, from 5223 Waterbury Road, Des Moines, Iowa, to Hamilton Hall, D 11, Soldiers' Field, Boston, Mass.
 Carl F. Houdek, from General Delivery, Muscatine, Iowa, to 1013 East 8th St., Muscatine, Iowa.
 John M. Shepard, from 211 S. Kimball Ave., Excelsior Springs, Mo., to 706 St. Louis Ave., Excelsior Springs, Mo.
 Don Davis, from 906 Davidson Bldg., Care R. C. A. Manufacturing Co., Kansas City, Mo., to 213 W. 18th St., Care R. C. A. Manufacturing Co., Kansas City, Mo.
 Charles L. Holden, from 208 Highland Ave., Millinocket, Maine, to 106 School St., Millinocket, Maine.
 Henry D. Ormsby, from Mayflower Apts., Louisville, Ky., to 10 Green Hill Apts., Louisville, Ky.
 F. Scott Rice, from Care Allen J. Saville, Inc., Richmond, Va., to 908 Electric Bldg., Richmond, Va.
 John Ganser, from 13 Miller St., Fairfield, Conn., to 33 Miller St., Fairfield, Conn.

Lloyd L. Leonard, from 617 Hubbard Ave., Union, N. J., to 986 Lorraine Ave., Union, Union County, N. J.

Harry Flumbaum, from 966 Weissinger-Gaulbert, Louisville, Ky., to 1130 Bardstown Rd., Louisville, Ky.

Arnold Karl Kruth, from 39 Park Ave., Lapeer, Mich., to 341 West Park, Lapeer, Mich.

J. B. Murphy, from 939 So. Broadway, Los Angeles, Cal., to 4 S. Post Office and Court House Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

Ernest K. Brady, from 338 Patton St., Marion, Ohio, to 21 N. Franklin St., Richwood, Ohio.

Miss Mary C. Dwan-Power, from Westminster, S. W. 1, London, England, to 183 Windsor House, 46 Victoria St., Westminster, S. W. 1, London, England.

Jean K. Claredon, from 446 East 66th St., Apt. 6K, New York City, N. Y., to 40 Monroe St., Apt. E. E. 5, New York City, N. Y.

Hamilton A. Craig, from Bank of Montreal, P. O. Box 570, Montreal, Quebec, Canada, to Bank of Montreal, P. O. Box 6002, Montreal, Quebec, Canada.

Richard L. Duncan, from 315 East Race St., Oxford, Ohio, to 315 Withrow Ave. East, Oxford, Ohio.

Clare H. Federspiel, from 716 Glendale Ave., Pueblo, Col., to 1229 East 7th St., Pueblo, Col.

Dr. J. R. Talbert, from P. O. Box 511, Beaverton, Ore., to P. O. Box 668, Beaverton, Ore.

W. R. Stoll, from 620½ West 40th Place, Los Angeles, Cal., to 1618 S. Curson Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Kenneth Gale, from Coopermill Road, Zanesville, Ohio, to 828 Adair Ave., Zanesville, Ohio.

Abraham Heidal, from Kaoyi, Hopei, North China, to 4718 Patterson Ave., Chicago, Ill.

R. A. Neiss, from 4024 N. Fremont Ave., Minneapolis, Minn., to 3233 Russell Ave. No., Minneapolis, Minn.

Howard H. Hanlon, from 541 McGilura Blvd., Seattle, Wash., to 210 Ranke Bldg., Seattle, Wash.

William D. Hunter, from 18 Drew Ave., Watertown, Mass., to 174 Orchard St., Watertown, Mass.

Don Rodrick R. Loeffler, from 3939 Lowell Ave., Los Angeles, Cal., to 2725 Budan Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Henry E. Elrod, from 318 Petroleum Bldg., Houston, Texas, to 404 Petroleum Bldg., Houston, Texas.

Elmer Paul Laurent, from 229 Myra Place, Clinton, Iowa, to 2619 Roosevelt St., Clinton, Iowa.

Richard F. B. Gimmi, from 1143 E. Rittenhouse St., Germantown, Philadelphia, Pa., to 7018 Ardleigh St., Mt. Airy, Philadelphia, Pa.

Henry M. Diamond, from 143 Brookside Ave., Mount Vernon, N. Y., to 315 East 4th St., Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Michael P. Carey, from 1216 S. Mullen Ave., Los Angeles, Cal., to 1218 S. Mullen Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Lawrence Terrell, from 4th & Main, Delta, Col., to 420 Main St., Delta, Col.

H. W. Fritter, from 308 Westwood, Orrville, Ohio, to 153 Stirling Ave., Orrville, Ohio.

Osw. H. Haenssger, from Badstrasse 34, Bad Cannstatt, Germany, to Franklinstrasse 37, Stuttgart-Zuffenhausen, Germany.

Thomas Edward McIver, Jr., from 1132½ Dalzell St., Shreveport, La., to 728 Wilkinson St., Shreveport, La.

Ralph A. Mitchell, from 667 Elm St., San Jose, Cal., to 676 Elm St., San Jose, Cal.

Walter M. Rosen, from Box 218, Ogden, Iowa, to Box 281, Ogden, Iowa.

Charles W. Randolph, from 20 Richards Road, Columbus, Ohio, to 526 Falles Road, Columbus, Ohio.

Robert E. Wolsley, from 702 Main St., East Aurora, N. Y., to Grover Rd., East Aurora, N. Y.

Albert R. Thacker, from 1717 Sprague St., Omaha, Neb., to 2455 Larimore Ave., Omaha, Neb.

Harry Moses, from P. O. Box 552, Atlanta, Ga., to P. O. Box 912, Atlanta, Ga.

Rev. G. A. Sowash, from P. O. Box 1272, Torrington, Wyo., to P. O. Box 1293, Torrington, Wyo.

Dr. William H. Livingston, from 202 Julian St., Ebensburg, Pa., to 201 Julian St., Ebensburg, Pa.

Henry Kemp, from 325 East 57th St., New York City, N. Y., to 315 East 68th St., New York City, N. Y.

John G. Harlan, from 2 Walton Apts., Silver City, N. M., to 809 W. 8th St., Silver City, N. M.

Leonard Forrer, from 14 Homefield Road, Helvetia, Bromley, Kent, Great Britain, to Helvetia, 24 Homefield Road, Bromley, Kent, Great Britain.

Lee Andrews, from General Delivery, Roodhouse, Ill., to P. O. Box 134, New Holland, Ill.

Lee H. Weed, from Care Bank of Commerce and Trust Co., Memphis, Tenn., to National Bank of Commerce, Memphis, Tenn.

Charles R. Svinning, from P. O. Box 345, Crown Point, Ind., to 8223 S. Wolcott Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Lester S. Wright, from 4800 Roanoke Parkway, Apt. 7, Davenport, Iowa, to 110 E. Columbia Ave., Davenport, Iowa.

Dr. H. L. Dell, from P. O. Box 565, Canton, Ohio, to 1823 Grasmere St., East Cleveland, Ohio.

J. Tyson McGill, from 36 Hall of Records, Brooklyn, N. Y., to 52 Hillcrest Ave., New Rochelle, N. Y.

Percy K. Hudson, from Care W. F. Beaupain, 1 Wall St., Rm. 2234, New York City, N. Y., to Care F. D. Arfmann, 1 Wall St., Rm. 2234, New York City, N. Y.

Clifton F. Gardner, from General Delivery, Huntington, N. Y., to Box 436, Huntington, N. Y.

J. L. Golden, from 2104 Callow Ave., Baltimore, Md., to 109 Park Ave., Baltimore, Md.

J. Oberwise, from 2108 West 29th St., Los Angeles, Cal., to 1308 S. Vermont Ave., Los Angeles, Cal.

Edwin T. Williams, M. D., from 1119 Western Ave., Topeka, Kan., to Medical Center, Jersey City, N. J.

James F. Kelly, from 1710 Grand Ave., Dayton, Ohio, to R. R. 6, Box 259, Dayton, Ohio.

B. R. Brady, from 1320 Texas Ave., Lubbock, Texas, to 1609 Texas Ave., Lubbock, Texas.

James F. Stiff, from General Delivery, Nashua, N. H., to P. O. Box 94, Nashua, N. H.

Joseph L. Rosenmiller, from Country Club Road, York, Pa., to 516 Country Club Road, York, Pa.

B. H. Baake, Jr., from 10 Chenoak Ave., Fullerton P. O., Carney, Md., to 2922 Chenoak Ave., Parkville Sta., Baltimore, Md.

Carl J. Fleer, from Powers Dry Goods Co., Minneapolis, Minn., to 3532 Irving South, Minneapolis, Minn.

Harry M. Sidlett, from 744 Broad St., Newark, N. J., to Care Congress Cigar Co., Inc., 250 Fifth Ave., New York City, N. Y.

P. R. DeNufrio, from 729 West McClure, Peoria, Ill., to 1000 West Forrest Hill, R. R. 2, Peoria, Ill.

Joseph M. Wise, from 4330 46th St., Sunnyside, L. I., N. Y., to 130 18 226 St., Laurelton, L. I., N. Y.

A. W. Wilson, from 902 W. O. W. Bldg., Omaha, Neb., to 605 Insurance Bldg., Omaha, Neb.

Stanley A. Nicholas, from 1452 Elm St., Youngstown, Ohio, to 3310 Erie St., Youngstown, Ohio.

J. Alton Price, from 100 S. Pearl St., Durham, N. C., to Box 949, Rocky Mount, N. C.

John A. Warner, from 732 E. Deshler Ave., Columbus, Ohio, to 1707 Oak St., Columbus, Ohio.

Robert S. Porter, Jr., from 727 8th Ave., Brackenridge, Pa., to 943 9th Ave., Brackenridge, Pa.

Chas. C. Pierce, from 4519 Lemmon Ave., Dallas, Texas, to 4215 San Carlos, Dallas, Texas.

Arthur Hegarty, from 103-21 Lefferts Blvd., Richmond Hill, L. I., N. Y., to 116-44 232 St., St. Albans, L. I., N. Y.

E. A. Jackson, from 211 Hitchcock Bldg., Springfield, Mass., to 519 Main St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Thos. L. Elder, from Pleasantville, N. Y., to General Delivery, Camden, S. C.

F. M. Lanter, from Municipal Airport, Atlanta, Ga., to Gen. Insp. Section, Washington, D. C.

H. J. Williams, from 201 Briarcliff Rd., Harrisburg, Pa., to 555 N. E. 70th St., Miami, Fla.

Leif Ronning, from 1431 E. 67th St., Chicago, Ill., to General Delivery, Big Fort, Mont.

Richard W. Edwards, from 3033 Olive St., Columbus, Ohio, to 1892 Edgemont Rd., Columbus, Ohio.

C. W. McKinney, from The M. O'Neil Co., South Main St., Akron, Ohio, to Box 706A, Akron, Ohio.

Albert C. Overton, from 1815 E. 12th St., Pueblo, Col., to 1507 E. 5th St., Pueblo, Col.

Hugh G. Garulski, from 11 Margaret St., Saranac Lake, N. Y., to 12 Bloomingdale, Saranac Lake, N. Y.

Brevard K. Titter, from 122 Remsen St., Brooklyn, N. Y., to 99 Joralemon St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

Earl P. Garey, from 522 N. 4th St., Sunbury, Pa., to 333 N. 11th St., Sunbury, Pa.

James A. DeWald, from 3521 Winter Ave., Ft. Wayne, Ind., to 1033 Pemberton Dr., Ft. Wayne, Ind.

Edward J. Devine, from 3136 Oliver St., Washington, D. C., to 503 Oak Drive, Silver Spring, Md.

Harry Saffer, from General Delivery, Daytona Beach, Fla., to Care L. & L. Loan Office, Pensacola, Fla.

A. Douglas Gutheil, from U. S. S. Richmond, Care Postmaster, San Diego, Cal., to U. S. S. Richmond, Care Postmaster, New York City, N. Y.

L. A. Whitacre, from 318 East Third St., West Liberty, Iowa, to 718 East Third St., West Liberty, Iowa.

Edward L. Weikert, Jr., from 1525 Buchanan St., N. W., Washington, D. C., to 3500 14th St. N. W., Washington, D. C.

G. Harry Bill, from Box 73, Whitman, Mass., to Corner Gold and Silver St., Whitman, Mass.

Simon Beloff, from 144 Penn St., Brooklyn, N. Y., to 20 East Broad St., Richmond, Va.

Norman A. MacColl, from 260 Waterman St., Providence, R. I., to 295 Laurel Ave., Providence, R. I.

Max Beloff, from 16 E. Broad St., Richmond, Va., to 20 E. Broad St., Richmond, Va.

M. VERNON SHELDON, General Secretary.

Coin Week Prizes

A prize will be given the United States coin club which, in the opinion of the judges, accomplished the most through the observance. Each club will be asked to submit a full report to David Bullowa, chairman of the judges' committee. This should contain a detailed report of displays, talks given before public gatherings, service clubs, church groups, etc., radio programs, and newspaper clippings. Photographs of displays may be submitted. There also will be a prize for the individual (not belonging to any local club) who accomplished the most during the observance, and individuals should make similar reports to David M. Bullowa, 10 West Eighty-sixth street, New York City.

Deaths

ROBERT O. MEYER

A. N. A. No. 4815, Detroit Coin Club No. 121.

Robert O. Meyer, a member of the A. N. A., died January 4, 1939, at his home in Detroit, Michigan.

Mr. Meyer was born in Berlin, Germany, October 30th, 1869. In 1892 he left Germany and settled in Detroit, Mich. He was an expert craftsman in bronze figure work, and it was through the beautiful art work on metals and coins that he became interested in the Detroit Coin Club.

Mr. Meyer was a well-known stamp and coin dealer and had a down-town store for the past six years. His other club affiliations were the Michigan Stamp Club, the Wayne Stamp Society and the American Philatelic Society. He is survived by a son and two daughters.

PHILIP S. STEVENS.

Philip S. Stevens, of Chicago, for many years a member of the A. N. A., died at his home in Chicago on January 22. He was also a member of the Chicago Coin Club. He had attended several A. N. A. conventions. He was a very devout man and for several years had been one of the ushers at the D. L. Moody Memorial Church in Chicago.

Meetings of Numismatic Societies and Clubs

(To keep the Directory up to date the editor relies upon the officials of the organizations listed to report promptly any changes in any of its features. There is no charge for listing, but new organizations must ask to be included and furnish the necessary information.)

DIRECTORY.

Albany Numismatic Society, Albany, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Thursdays (except during July and August), at the Albany Institute of History and Art, 125 Washington Ave. Willis J. McKinney, Secretary, 62 Sycamore St., Albany, N. Y.

American Numismatic Association—Meets annually in convention. M. Vernon Sheldon, Secretary, 915 Oakdale Ave., Chicago, Ill.

American Numismatic Society, New York City—Meets four times annually at its building, Broadway at 156th Street. Sydney P. Noe, Secretary.

Antiquarian and Numismatic Society of Montreal—Meets monthly at Chateau de Ramezay. L. A. Renaud, Curator, Chateau de Ramezay, Montreal, Canada.

Ames Numismatic Society, Ames, Iowa—Meets first Wednesday each month in Room 223 of the Memorial Union on the Iowa State College Campus. Walter P. Bohler, Secretary, 307 Stanton Ave., Ames, Iowa.

Atlanta Coin Club, Atlanta, Ga.—Meets first and third Wednesdays at the Hotel Henry Grady. George M. Todd, Secretary, 1614 Hurt Bldg., Atlanta, Ga.

Baltimore Coin Club—Meets first and third Thursdays at Peale's Municipal Museum, 225 N. Holliday street. George Requard, Secretary, 5907 Harford Road, Baltimore, Md.

Boston Numismatic Society, Boston, Mass.—Meeting, with dinner, last Monday of each month (summer excepted) at Boston City Club. Saul Steinberg, M. D., Secretary, 11 Temple St., Boston, Mass.

Brooklyn Coin Club, Brooklyn, N. Y.—Meets first Wednesday of each month at Hotel Touraine, 23 Clinton St., Brooklyn, N. Y. Charles P. Knott, Secretary, 115-200 226th St., St. Albans, N. Y.

Buffalo Numismatic Association, Buffalo, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Mondays at Central Y. M. C. A. F. J. Herrick, Secretary, 2462 Delaware Ave., Buffalo, N. Y.

Burlington Coin Club, Burlington, Iowa—Meets alternately on first or second Monday each month, time and place being decided at regular monthly meeting. William Hockstad, Secretary, Burlington Community Chest, Burlington, Iowa.

California Coin Club, Los Angeles, Cal.—Meets first Tuesday evening of each month. Sidney Haas, Secretary, 545 La Jolla, Los Angeles, Cal.

Canadian Numismatic Art Society, Winnipeg, Man.—Meets every third Wednesday of the month in the board rooms of the Free Press Building, Carlton St., Winnipeg. Walter Sidloski, Secretary, 381 Harbison Ave., Winnipeg, Man.

Chase Bank Coin Society, New York City—Meets third Thursday of each month. Vernon L. Brown, Secretary, Chase National Bank, New York, N. Y.

Chautauqua Coin, Stamp and Curio Club, Jamestown, N. Y.—Meets second and fourth Wednesday evenings of each month at Hotel Jamestown. C. B. Sampson, Secretary, R. F. D. 1, Jamestown, N. Y.

Chicago Coin Club, Chicago, Ill.—Meets first Wednesday of each month at the Skyline Athletic Club, 188 W. Randolph St. I. T. Kopicki, Secretary, 2114 S. St. Louis Ave., Chicago, Ill.

Cincinnati Numismatic Association—Meets second Tuesday of each month at 8 o'clock P. M., Netherland Plaza Hotel. Chas. H. Thul, Secretary, 2631 Hemlock St., Cincinnati, Ohio.

Coin Club of Rhode Island—Meets second Wednesday of each month at Wayland Manor Hotel, Providence, R. I. Miss Susan L. Marsh, Secretary, Wayland Manor Hotel, Providence, R. I.

Columbus Numismatic Society, Columbus, Ohio—Meets second Monday evening of each month at the Neil House. E. P. Bowers, Secretary, 1340 W. Third Ave., Columbus, Ohio.

Cornbelt Coin Club, Waterloo, Iowa—Meets first Friday of each month at Cohagen Cabin at the "Y," Waterloo, Iowa. Lloyd G. Rogers, President, 1425 Williston Ave., Waterloo, Iowa.

Cortland Coin Club, Cortland, N. Y.—Meets first Thursday of each month at Hotel Cortland. Marion L. Peckham, Secretary, Box 62, Homer, N. Y.

Dallas Coin Club, Dallas, Texas—Meets second Thursday night of each month in the Baker Hotel. C. A. McGlamery, Secretary, 710 S. Waverly Dr., Dallas, Tex.

Dayton Coin Club, Dayton, Ohio—Meets last Monday of each month at the Central Y. M. C. A., 117 West Monument Ave. Luther H. Whitt, Secretary, 127 McDaniel St., Dayton, Ohio.

Des Moines Coin Club, Des Moines, Iowa—Meets first Friday of the month, place announced one month in advance of each meeting. A. M. Kagin, Secretary, 704 Grand Ave., Des Moines, Iowa.

Detroit Coin Club, Detroit, Mich.—Meets first and third Thursdays at the Detroit-Leland Hotel, Cass and Bagley Avenues. Wilfred Rowe, Secretary, 619 W. Maplehurst Ave., Ferndale, Mich.

Fairfield County Numismatic Association, Bridgeport, Conn.—Meets third Friday of each month at Bridgeport Art League, 528 Clinton Ave., Bridgeport, Conn. J. Norman Crosby, Secretary, P. O. Box 565, Bridgeport, Conn.

Fugio Coin Club, Shreveport, La.—Meets second Monday of each month in the directors' room of the Commercial National Bank. Frank E. Hydson, Secretary, P. O. Box 1119, Shreveport, La.

Greenwich Stamp and Coin Club, Greenwich, Conn.—Meets first and third Fridays at the Y. M. C. A. Evelyn Chard Billings, Secretary, P. O. Box 326, Greenwich, Conn.

Hartford Numismatic Society, Hartford, Conn.—Meets third Wednesday of each month at Y. W. C. A. Building, 155 Broad St., Hartford, Conn. Eric H. Lind, Secretary, Box 93, Willimantic, Conn.

Heart of America Numismatic Association, Kansas City, Mo.—Meets second Monday of each month at Pickwick Hotel, Kansas City. Frank C. Ross, Secretary, 15 East 62d St., Kansas City, Mo.

International Emergency Money Club, New York City—Meets second Wednesday of each month at 33 West 69th St., New York City. Walter S. Child, Secretary, 509 Madison Ave., New York City.

Jersey City Coin Club, Jersey City, N. J.—Meets fourth Thursday of the month at homes of members. James W. Herwig, Secretary, 164 Forest Ave., Lyndhurst, N. J.

Junior Coin Collectors of San Francisco, Cal.—Meets third Friday of each month at San Francisco Museum of Art, Civic Center, 7.30 P. M. Roy Hill, Counselor, 569 Mission St., San Francisco, Cal. Marshall Taft, Secretary, 465 Third Ave., San Francisco, Cal.

Lehigh Valley Coin Club, Palmerton, Pa.—Meets first Wednesday of each month at the Palmerton Neighborhood House. Paul Ziegler, Secretary, 555 Lafayette Ave., Palmerton, Pa.

Madison Coin Club, Madison, Wis.—Meets alternately, one month the second Monday, following month the second Thursday, at the Union Trust Company Building, 28 West Mifflin St. Ray Rinden, Secretary, 1123 East Dayton St., Madison, Wis.

Memphis Coin Club, Memphis, Tenn.—Meets second Wednesday of each month at 826 Dermon Bldg., corner of Third and Court Streets. Arthur H. Townsend, Secretary, care North Memphis Savings Bank, Memphis, Tenn.

Milwaukee Numismatic Society, Milwaukee, Wis.—Meets last Friday in each month at the Phister Hotel. Harry Collura, Secretary, 1527 N. Jefferson St., Milwaukee, Wis.

Missouri Numismatic Society, St. Louis, Mo.—Meets second Monday of each month at Melbourne Hotel, Grand and Lindell Bldgs., St. Louis, Mo. J. S. Stevenson, Secretary, 212 Edwin Ave., Kirkwood, Mo.

New Bedford Coin Club, New Bedford, Mass.—Meets last Friday of each month in the New Bedford Postoffice Building. Margaret C. Dunlap, Secretary, 237 Court St., New Bedford, Mass.

New Castle Coin Club, New Castle, Pa.—Meets first and third Monday of each month in the Pennsylvania Power Company Building. John P. Boyles, Secretary, 318 E. Lincoln Ave., New Castle, Pa.

New Haven Numismatic Society, New Haven, Conn.—Meets last Friday of the month at Room 104, 18 College St., New Haven, Conn. W. C. Sanders, Secretary, 608 Dixwell Ave., New Haven, Conn.

New Jersey Numismatic Society—Meets second Thursday of each month at Downtown Club, 744 Broad St., Newark, N. J. Richard D. Nelson, Secretary, Taylor Road, Short Hills, N. J.

New York Numismatic Club, New York City—Meets second Friday of each month. F. C. C. Boyd, Secretary, 237 East 20th St., New York City.

Northampton Numismatic Society, Northampton, Mass.—Meets fourth Wednesday of each month at Y. M. C. A. Building. Myron J. Parsons, Secretary, 270 Pleasant St., Northampton, Mass.

Northwest Coin Club—Meets first Thursday of each month at the Curtis Hotel in Minneapolis, and the third Thursday of each month at the St. Paul Hotel, St. Paul, Minn. Paul Olsen, Secretary, 616 S. Third St., Minneapolis, Minn.

Oklahoma City Coin Club, Oklahoma City, Okla.—Meets third Monday of the month at the Y. M. C. A. H. W. Zeigler, Secretary, 3211 Military, Oklahoma City, Okla.

Omaha Coin Club, Omaha, Neb.—Meets first Friday evening of each month at Omaha City Hall. Raymond E. Moulton, Secretary, 2647 Chicago St., Omaha, Neb.

Oregon Numismatic Society, Portland, Ore.—Meets second Monday night of the month at Benson Hotel. J. V. LaMore, Secretary, P. O. Box 5608, Kenton Station, Portland, Ore.

Pacific Coast Numismatic Society, San Francisco, Cal.—Meets last Wednesday of each month at Hotel Whitcomb, San Francisco. Harvey L. Hansen, Secretary, 729 Pacific Ave., Apt. D, Alameda, Cal.

Philadelphia Coin Club, Philadelphia, Pa.—Meets second Thursday of each month at the Central Y. M. C. A., Broad and Arch Sts. George J. Patterson, Secretary, P. O. Box 4856, Central Y. M. C. A., Philadelphia, Pa.

Pittsburgh Coin Club—Meets third Thursday of each month in the Downtown Y. M. C. A. Building, Third Ave. and Wood St. Howard Gibbs, Jr., Secretary, 1400 Belasco Ave., Pittsburgh, Pa.

Quad-Cities Coin Club, Davenport, Iowa—Meets every second Thursday of the month. Jake Simon, Secretary, Hotel Mississippi, Davenport, Iowa.

Rochester Numismatic Society, Rochester, Minn.—Meets first Monday of each month in Chamber of Commerce Building. S. W. Anderson, Secretary, 305½ S. Broadway, Rochester, Minn.

Rochester Numismatic Association, Rochester, N. Y.—Meets first and third Tuesday at Municipal Museum. Floyd B. Newell, Secretary, 94 Monroe Parkway, Rochester, N. Y.

Rocky Mountain Numismatic Society, Denver, Col.—Meets first and third Thursdays of each month, unless otherwise ordered, at homes of individual members as selected. Jacob G. Willson, Secretary-Treasurer, Room 15, State Capitol, Denver, Col.

San Diego Numismatic Society, San Diego, Cal.—Meets second Monday of each month in the Assembly Hall of the Electric Building. Thomas W. Voetter, Secretary, 1819 Sheridan Ave., San Diego, Cal.

St. Louis Numismatic Society, St. Louis, Mo.—Meets monthly at Washington University. T. E. Duncan, Secretary, Washington University, St. Louis, Mo.

St. Paul Numismatic Association, St. Paul, Minn.—Meets first and third Tuesdays at 703 Pioneer Building. J. H. Harkins, Secretary, 114 E. Fourth St., St. Paul, Minn.

Seattle Coin Club, Seattle, Wash.—Meets the last Thursday of the month at 1411 Fourth Ave. Bldg., Seattle. C. C. Saeman, Secretary, 11748 San Point Way, Seattle, Wash. Mail to 403 Crary Bldg., Seattle.

Springfield Coin Club, Springfield, Mass.—Meets second Wednesday of each month at the Museum of Fine Arts, Springfield. William W. Willard, Secretary, 94 Warren Terrace, Longmeadow, Mass.

Stark Coin Club, Canton, Ohio—Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month in the Canton Public Library. Dr. H. L. Dell, Secretary, Box 565, Canton, Ohio.

Syracuse Numismatic Association, Syracuse, N. Y.—Meets first Tuesday of each month at the Onondaga Hotel. Frank O. Webster, 338 W. Onondaga St., Syracuse, N. Y.

Tennessee Coin Club, Nashville, Tenn.—Meets first and third Mondays of each month. Floyd L. Martin, Secretary, 800 Warner Building, Nashville, Tenn.

The Bronx (N. Y.) Coin Club—Meets fourth Wednesday of each month at East 148th Street Restaurant, just west of Third Ave., The Bronx, New York City. David M. Bullowa, Secretary, 95 Fifth Ave., New York City.

The Numismatic and Antiquarian Society of Philadelphia, Pa.—Meets six times a year. January, February, March, April, November and December. Henry Paul Busch, Secretary, 1006 Spruce St., Philadelphia, Pa.

Toledo Coin Club, Toledo, Ohio—Meets second and fourth Mondays of each month. S. L. Szyperski, Secretary, 222 Austin St., Toledo, Ohio.

Triple-Cities Coin Club, Binghamton, N. Y.—Meets first Monday of each month. H. M. Christman, Secretary, Binghamton, N. Y.

Trumbull Coin, Stamp and Curio Club, Warren, Ohio—Meets first and third Wednesdays at 154 South Park Ave. (except in June, July and August). Clyde Stillinger, Secretary, 534 North St. N. W., Warren, Ohio.

Utica Coin Club, Utica, N. Y.—Meets first and third Tuesdays of each month at 249 Genesee St. F. Harrington, Secretary, 249 Genesee St., Utica, N. Y.

Washington Numismatic Society, Washington, D. C.—Meets first Monday of each month at Hotel Washington. Frederic E. Hodge, Corresponding and Recording Secretary, 136 Bryant St., N. W., Washington, D. C.

Waterbury Numismatic Society, Waterbury, Conn.—Meets third Friday of the month at the Mattatuck Historical Society Bldg. Arnold B. Grasso, Secretary, 81 Charles St., Waterbury, Conn.

Westchester County (N. Y.) Coin Club—Meets third Tuesday of each month at the Y. M. C. A. in New Rochelle, N. Y. Saul Bellus, Secretary, 559 S. Tenth Ave., Mount Vernon, N. Y.

Western Maryland Coin Club—Meets third Wednesday of each month at the Central Y. M. C. A., Cumberland, Md. Holmes H. Cessna, Secretary, P. O. Box 133, Cumberland, Md.

Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society—Meets the first Tuesday of every month at the Carnegie Institute of Pittsburgh. Earl Coatsworth, Secretary, 914 Broadway, East McKeesport, Pa.

Western Reserve Numismatic Club, Cleveland, Ohio—Meets second Wednesday of each month at the Allerton Hotel. John W. Gregor, Secretary, 15221 St. Clair Ave., Cleveland, Ohio.

Youngstown Numismatic Club, Youngstown, Ohio—Meets first Thursday of each month at Youngstown Y. M. C. A., N. Champion St. A. F. Smith, Secretary, 57 Brooklyn Ave., Youngstown, Ohio.

NEW YORK NUMISMATIC CLUB—362nd regular meeting, February 10, Arthur W. Deas, president, presiding. Eighteen members and three visitors were present.

The topics for the evening were: "Type half eagles from 1834 to 1929"; "Bank Notes of Canada," and "Washington and Lincoln Medals." Exhibits were as follows:

W. H. Arthur: U. S. Gold Dollar proof of 1884.

J. Barnet: One hundred medals and tokens of Lincoln and Washington, struck in copper, brass, nickel, copper-nickel, white metal, lead and gold.

R. A. Barry: Four small white metal medals of Queen Victoria and 3 of her children, enclosed in a small brass box with Windsor Castle on the lid and the Royal Arms on the bottom.

G. H. Blake: Canadian bank notes contained in three albums and including a full set of the first issue of the Bank of Canada.

D. M. Bullowa: Canada, George V portrait \$1 note; Edward VIII (as Prince of Wales), \$2 note. Papal See, Pius XI, set issued for Jubilee year, 10 lire silver to 5 centesimi bronze.

W. R. Carpenter: Roman coins struck in Britain. George II proof half crown. Bank of England dollar, proof struck in copper with thick flan. Pattern half guinea, spade type, in copper, George III. George III shilling without dot over the head. Scotch shilling, signed by Falconer. Charles I crown, fourth type, with eye mint mark. Charles II shilling, first issue, by Simon, mint condition. Some miniature Washington medals in silver and bronze. 3 Washington medals struck for the Alexandria Washington Monument Association.

A. W. Deas: Bronze plaque of Presidential portraits.

W. S. Dewey: Framed copy of Naramores' Counterfeit Detector, 1866. Set of Kirtland Bank Notes from \$1 to \$50, lacking only the \$100 note for a complete set. Rectangular bronze plaque of Admiral Dewey by Kelly, issued by Gorham Company.

S. K. Eastwood: Medalet of Martha Washington. Centennial medal of Lincoln. Lincoln and Johnson political token.

T. Hentgen: 12 Large Washington Medals. Large Plaque by Kelly, after Peale. Large Centennial silver medal. Very rare oval silver medal, Sons of the Revolution.

M. F. Kortjohn: 5 shillings 6 pence, copper pattern of King George III.

L. Kusterer: Lincoln medal by Emil Sigel. Struck copy of the Washington half dollar by Idler, in silver. Robinson's copy of a Washington half dollar in silver. Card of the Mt. Holly Paper Co., Mt. Holly Springs, Pa., in white metal.

T. F. Morris: Exhibit of Canadian paper money issued by the Dominion from 1870 to date.

E. T. Newell: Photograph of a portion of the famous Santa Maria di Licodia hoard of Syracusan decadrachms found near Catania.

O. G. Schilke: Small tray of types of Half Eagles from 1834. The last two types in brilliant and sand-blast proof. Small medal of Lincoln, 1927, in gold.

S. Scott: Book of portraits and vignettes, uncanceled, 136 illustrations. Oil painting of a \$10 bill on a panel. A commentary on Antoninus, his itinerary or journeys in Britain.

O. T. Sghia: Washington half dollar. 3 Washington cents. 10 Washington medals.

A. C. Semple: Medal with portrait of Lincoln, only one made, presented to A. C. Semple, Brooklyn Coin Club, by Theo. Hentgen.

C. M. Wormser: Medal to commemorate victory over the English by the American forces commanded by MacDonough in 1814. Medal to commemorate victory of U. S. S. Wasp, commanded by Jacob Jones, over H. M. S. Frolic in 1812.

The president introduced the guests of the evening, John Becker, of Chicago, who briefly told of his hobby work with spools and his appearance on the radio in that connection, and S. K. Eastwood, of Pittsburgh, who conveyed the greetings of his club.

Mr. Hentgen read a very interesting article on certain aspects in the life of Washington, and also a poem on "Money."

Mr. Morris gave a very interesting talk in connection with his exhibit on

Canadian bank notes, their history and proofs of same, which he was exhibiting.

Mr. Bullowa, on behalf of the executive committee, recommended as topics for the next meeting "Coins of the Popes," "Types of U. S. Eagles," and "Church Orders," and a paper by Mr. Hentgen on "The Order of St. John." These recommendations were subsequently adopted.

Mr. Barry, on behalf of the publication committee, called attention to a bill which Representative Cockran of Missouri had presented to Congress, to the effect that the minting of further issues of commemorative coins previously authorized, cease upon the enactment of the bill.

Mr. Bullowa called attention to the observance of "Coin Week" which the A. N. A. was sponsoring for the last week in March, and suggested participation by the club, although this would involve considerable difficulties in a large city like New York. He also stated that there would be a national contest among the various clubs for excellence in these activities. Messrs. Sghia, Semple, Barnet and Hentgen reported "Coin Week" activities in which they or their respective clubs expected to take part. Messrs. Barry, Barnet and Kortjohn were appointed as "Committee on Coin Week."

Moritz Wormser, on behalf of the A. N. A. Convention Committee, reported that detailed plans for the entertainment of the Association were being considered and that a further report would be submitted at the next meeting. He also distributed a card of reservations prepared by the Hotel Pennsylvania, the convention hotel.

Mr. Morris reported that a new series of stamps had been suggested by the Postoffice Department in honor of and commemorating "Distinguished Americans" in civil life. He suggested that one of the candidates so to be honored be James Smiley, distinguished as an artist in the field of line engraving, that in connection with this work he had designed some of the early U. S. notes, and that, therefore, he had been close to the field of numismatics, and numismatists should be interested in having his portrait appear in this series; that Mr. Morris was recommending this candidacy to the Postoffice and Treasury authorities in Washington and that the New York Numismatic Club should be interested in aiding these efforts in behalf of Mr. Smiley's portrait.

The secretary was instructed to write suitable letters to the President, the Secretary of the Treasury and to the Postmaster General endorsing Mr. Morris' suggestion to put the portrait of Mr. Smiley on the stamps of the "Prominent Americans" series.

BRONX COIN CLUB—Sixty-fifth meeting, January 25th, President Stein presiding. Twenty-three members and four guests were present.

President Stein read a paper on the coins of Philip I.

Several members spoke on some special phase of their collecting activities as follows:

Mr. Clark spoke on the coins of Siam and the several dating systems used by that people, as shown on their coinage.

Ex-President Sghia spoke on the coins of San Marino, and the historical basis for the use of the feathers and castles in that country's coat-of-arms.

Mr. Hentgen spoke briefly about the Order of the White Elephant of Siam, and how, according to legend, that order received its name.

Mr. Arthur read a very fine paper on the Fugio cent, its early history and the restrikes.

Mr. Newell spoke about the base coins of Philip I and the pleasure of acquiring rare mint marks of the various "officinae" in the Roman mint.

Exhibits on the topic of the evening: "Half dollars from 1836 to 1892; coins of countries beginning with the letter S, except Spain, Sweden and Switzerland, and Roman coins of Philip I." The following specimens were shown:

Mr. Arthur: Franklin Cent, 1787, brilliant uncirculated restrike. An extremely rare Buffalo nickel, 1918 over 1917, D Mint. Only four or five known.

Mr. Blake: Scarce \$1 legal tender note, 1874; scarce \$1 silver certificate, 1899, No. 2. Photograph models which were used by General Spinner and were the inception of the first use of fractional currency.

Mr. Bullowa: Imperial Russian watermark notes of the 500 and 100 ruble denominations, of the series of 1898 and 1910-12. The 1898 series are very scarce.

E. E. Carpenter: Pewter Fugio dollar, rare variety with two R's. Original Fugio cent, 1787.

Mr. Clark: 34 coins of Siam covering the period from 1851-1937. Also coins of St. Lucia, the Seljuks, Sudan, and a copy of the Sommers Island token.

Mrs. Dewey: Coins of the leper colony of the Philippine Islands, Public Health Service, Culion. Salvador, 1911, 10 and 25 centavos. Copy of the Shilling, Bermuda (Sommers Island) in copper.

Mr. Dewey: Minor coins of Siam, Straits Settlements, Sarawak, Sardinia, Serbia and Sicily. Three tokens of Sing Sing Prison at Ossining, N. Y. Token of the National Peace Jubilee in Omaha, 1898, with portraits of Dewey, Schley, Sampson and Shafter. Bullet and pack-saddle coins of Siam. Naramore's bank note Detector of 1866.

Mr. Engel: Thirty half dollars from 1836 to 1892, including a few proofs.

Mr. Friedman: Sales tax tokens from New Mexico, Oklahoma, Kansas, Arizona, and Alabama. 5c. 1918 Straits Settlements; U. S. A. one-half dollar, 1857. Freak \$10 double crease at right side of bill. \$1 bill from circulation No. T00000600A.

Mr. Grunthal: Saxony, Frederick III (the Wise) half taler, 1507, issued to commemorate his imperial governorship during the absence of Emperor Maximilian while in Italy.

Mr. Hentgen: Saxe-Coburg-Gotha, Commander Cross and fifth class silver medal chevalier cross of Gotha. Commander Cross Albertus Order, Saxony. Grand Commander Plaque of Takova Order, Serbia, and chevalier badge. Order of the White Eagle of Serbia. Order of San Marino. Order of the White Elephant of Siam.

Mr. Holzer: Coins of Philip I of the Ludi-seculares series, one of them showing a little error of the die-cutter.

Mr. Kimball: Coins of Sierra Leone, St. Helena, Southern Rhodesia, and South Africa.

Mr. Kortjohn: Thirty half dollars from 1836 to 1892, including 1836 milled edge and 1852. Two coins of Philip I. Coins of Sicily, Salsburg, St. Helena and Saxony.

Mr. Newell: Coins of Philip I. 4 specimens from the mint at Antioch. One from Mint at Antioch, Philip, Jr., six specimens of the thousandth anniversary of Rome; one from each of the six "officinae," into which the mint of Rome was divided. Six specimens of the final issue of the mint marked in the Greek numerals.

Mr. Roth: World's Fair medal with profile of General Washington, and 13 stars, which was withdrawn from sale, and is now quite a rarity.

Mr. M. Stack: Salzburg, double thaler klippe, 1628, and triple thaler, 1593, tower type. U. S. Cent, type of 1835, with evidence of being struck over a Haitian penny.

Mr. Sghia: Coins of San Marino, Salzburg, Sardinia, Saxony, Schleswig-Holstein, Schlick, Soudan and Strassbourg.

Mr. Stein: Coins of Philip I, Philip II and Severa.

Mr. Van der Meer: Large silver medal, Martin Tromp, dated 1653. West Frisia, 2 stuiver, 1675, struck on square planchet. Medal, 1752, on coronation of Anna and William as regents of the United Provinces.

Mr. Wagner: Medals of Jerome Napoleon, Napoleon Bonaparte, Prince Eugenie, Louis Napoleon as President of the French Republic, and Empress Eugenie.

C. M. Wormser: Scotland, 1560 teston of Frances and Mary. Scotland, 1591, half balance merk of James VI.

Hans Holzer, was elected to membership.

The topics for the February meeting were discussed and the following found acceptable: Half Dollars from 1892 to date. Coins of the countries beginning with the letter T. Coins of Trajan Decius. Papers are to be read by our new member, Mr. Holzer, and by Mr. Silverman.

Due to the conflict which arose over having our regular meeting on the 4th Wednesday, which is Washington's birthday, in February, it was decided that the regular February meeting be held on Thursday, February 23.

A general discussion on the topic of the evening, "Should a coin collector specialize?" brought forth a number of interesting views. It was found that specializing is worth while, but that very often a collector is not in a position to specialize until he knows what series he wishes to collect. Spe-

cializing was found to be an ultimate goal which collectors should not attempt until familiar with the general range of collecting first. It was mentioned that books are very important in broadening a collector's horizons, especially if he collects one series and has books on another.

The members present agreed that specializing was significant if interpreted along sufficiently broad plans.

WESTCHESTER COUNTY COIN CLUB—57th meeting, January 17. The meeting was called to order by President White. There were 27 members and four guests present.

The secretary read the minutes of the board of governors' meeting on January 8th. The purpose of this meeting was to have each member of the board and the guest officers make suggestions regarding any new ideas they may have which will make the regular meetings more interesting and to further the study of numismatics.

Mr. Marsden gave a brief report of the Bonnie Brook Lodge in Scarsdale, the place which is under consideration for the fifth annual dinner.

Mr. Brooke spoke on the annual award of a plaque to be donated by the officers and members of the board, who will select a member for this. The members eligible are to be rated for their attendance, exhibits and original papers.

Recess was called and exhibits placed. Mr. Dewey presented the special guest of the evening, W. Ray Carpenter, who read a paper and spoke on early English coinage. He exhibited a large selection of these pieces in the best condition.

Mr. Lighte read a short paper on the passing of the buffalo nickel. Mr. Massey next read a paper on Conder tokens with a fine selection of these pieces to illustrate his paper. Mr. Stephens also spoke on the Conder tokens. Mr. Stein gave a short interesting talk on the Roman coins struck in Britain.

Topics for the evening: Five cents (nickel) series, coins of Great Britain and items of your own interest.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Stein: A group of Roman coins struck in Britain, several Roman "Victoria Brittanica" types.

Mr. Lighte: Complete set of all the 1939 nickels.

Mr. Bellus: Type set of U. S. 5-cent nickels and Coronation set of King George VI.

Mr. White: 1797 English penny and 1797 two-pence cartwheel.

Mr. Marsden: Complete set of 5-cent nickels from 1866 to date.

Mr. Deas: Columbian medal in original case; Brapex medal; Order of Merit medal of Collectors' Club.

Mr. Sghia: Fifty gold and silver coins of England.

Mr. Stephens: About 1500 eighteenth century tokens of England.

W. Ray Carpenter: English coins to illustrate talk.

Mr. Rippner: Medical medal by Loewy.

Mr. Dewey: Frame of national bank notes and legal tender notes by Naramore.

Mr. Carpenter and Mr. Lighte presented two numismatic items to the club to be auctioned and the proceeds to be placed in the reserve fund.

BROOKLYN COIN CLUB—70th meeting, February 1st, with Mr. Semple, president, in the chair. There were present twenty-five members, and a number of guests, including many ladies.

The guests consisted of the wives of the members and members representing all metropolitan coin clubs, etc. Also as guests, there were present three District Secretaries of the A. N. A.

This meeting being the occasion of our annual dinner, the regular order of business was suspended and the president turned the gavel over to Mr. Schwartz, who very capably acted as toastmaster for the rest of the evening.

Mr. Stuart Mosher gave an interesting address on counterfeit coins and illustrated his talk with many samples of counterfeits and electrotypes.

Brief addresses were made by Messrs. Blake, Schilke, Brown, Stein, Kortjohn, Nettleship, Barbour and Martin.

As a surprise the club presented Mr. Reagan a medal specially struck in his honor, in pure gold, in appreciation of his services as president for the past three years. Mr. Klaif, our No. 1 member, made the presentation ad-

dress. In addition to the gold medal presented to Mr. Reagan there were also 17 struck in silver and 100 in aluminum. The latter were presented to all present as souvenirs of the occasion.

Mr. Hentgen, who is affectionately known to us as The Bronx mint, presented our president, Mr. Semple, with a unique bronze medal which he had struck in his honor.

The following exhibits were shown:

Mr. Daukszys: 5 Russian commemorative orders; Soviet Russian Order of the Red Star.

Mr. Klaif: 3, 6 and 12 rouble pieces of Russia in platinum.

Mr. Eill: 5 wooden plaques of the Philadelphia Centennial and Sesqui-Centennial.

Mr. Hentgen: 3 rare Washington items.

Mr. Bullowa: Perpetual calendar medal.

Mr. Case and Mr. Barbour: 103 pure nickel coins issued by 33 countries. These are from the collection of the International Nickel Co.

Mr. Orabella: Unc. Washington cent 1791, 1904 Bank of England dollar, pillar dollar of Charles III, Unc. Fugio cent struck off center, 10 kronen of Franz Joseph of Austria.

Mr. Heft: English coronation set of 1937.

Mr. Arthur: U. S. buffalo nickel 1918, struck over 1917-D.

Mr. Kusterer: \$16.80 Assay bar in gold, C. Wiegand, assayer.

Mr. Morton Stack: Sixpence and shilling of Maryland.

Mr. Joseph Stack: Private assay bar of Hentsch & Berton; 15 encased postage stamps of New York.

Mr. Holzer: Three Roman coins, quadrans (342-211 B. C.), denarius of Julius Caesar, 58 B. C., denarius of Elagabalus, 221 A. D.

Mr. Grunthall: Three Papal crowns of Innocent XI and Clement XI.

Mr. Stein: Dekadrachm of Syracuse, tetradrachms of Eumenia, Mithridates, Perseus and Lysimachus.

Mr. Schilke: English half sovereign, two types of Queen Victoria, one of Edward VII and one of George V.

Mr. Reagan: U. S. patterns, 1863 half dollar in copper; 1863 \$10 gold in bronze; 1870 25c. in aluminum; \$5 1878 in copper, head as on Stella.

Mr. Mosher: 200 replicas and forgeries of ancient coins in gold, silver and bronze.

Mr. Semple: Austrian gold, 1936 100 schilling and 1930 25 schilling.

Mr. Schwartz: Necessity dollar-size coins of Copiapo 1865; Coquimbo 1857; Barcelona 1809; Gerona 1808; Majorca 1808 and 1821; Groningen 1672.

Mr. Knoth: Chinese medallions of T'su Hsi, T'sao K'un, Tuan Ch'i-Jui and the Hung Hsien commemorative.

BOSTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—The Boston Numismatic Society held its dinner and annual meeting at the Boston City Club on January 30. Dinner was served in the main dining room and the business meeting followed in Room M, President Pond presiding. Ten members were present, as well as one guest.

The president gave a detailed account of the society's activities during the past year. All present rose and stood in silence for a brief period in respect for our departed associates.

President Pond gave an account of his attendance at the Council meeting and annual meeting of the American Numismatic Society, and also of his reading of a paper on French coinage, "Napoleon, Empereur—Republic," at the monthly meeting of the New York Coin Club.

Mr. Gifford, chairman of the nominating committee, presented the following "slate" for officers: President, Shepard Pond; vice-president and curator, Morgan Stafford; treasurer, Henry Evanson; secretary, Saul Steinberg. There being no nominations from the floor, the secretary cast one ballot for the slate as presented.

President Pond thanked the members for re-electing him and spoke of the fine cooperation given him by the officers and members during the past year.

Redington M. DeCormis, of the Second National Bank of Boston, and Dr. Victor A. Reed, of Lawrence, Mass., were elected to membership.

Gilbert Green, of New Bedford, Mass., gave an interesting account of how he became interested in collecting, of his efforts in arousing interest in numismatics in New Bedford, of his contacting various collectors of his city, and finally of the formation of the New Bedford Coin Club.

Mr. Nichols, A. N. A. District Secretary for Massachusetts, also spoke briefly relative to the excellent work done by Mr. Green in New Bedford.

There followed a short, general discussion as to the advancement of numismatics by fostering "Youth Movements," having in mind arousing of interest in numismatics in the younger generation with the hoped-for resulting formation of junior coin clubs.

Relative to National Coin Week, March 25-31, 1939, sponsored by the A. N. A., there was a detailed general discussion as to procedures which may be applied locally, no definite action being taken at this time.

A telegram from our fellow-member, Lieut. Oscar Dodson, U. S. S. Vincennes, U. S. N., now in Pacific waters, was read by President Pond. Lt. Dodson sent greetings and good wishes on the annual meeting.

The topic for the evening was: "Discussion and Exhibition of U. S. Coins Before 1800." Each member was called upon and spoke on the various coins exhibited, which consisted of an excellent variety in uncirculated or extremely fine condition.

President Pond: U. S. dollars, 1796, 1797, 1799; \$10 gold, 1795, 1799; \$5 gold, 1798, 1800.

Henry Evanson: 1797 half cent (1 over 1 variety), showing five die breaks not commonly seen.

Morgan Stafford: 1796 quarter; 1794, 1795 half dollars; 1795, 1799 dollars.

Walter P. Nichols: A rare treat for those present: 1794 dollar; 1796 half cent; 1792 half disme.

Dr. Saul Steinberg: 1796 quarter; 1793, 1799 cents.

Mr. Nichols read a short paper on the 1792 half disme.

Dr. Steinberg read a short paper on the "U. S. Patterns, 1792-1800."

Other general exhibits were as follows:

Gilbert Green: 1837, half cent pure copper; 1853, gold dollar.

Mr. Evanson: Proof Pan-Pac. half dollar; 1839 cent, mint red; proof 1844 half dime; proof Cal. gold half dollar.

Walter Hayden: Fugio cents, Wood's coinage, foreign copper pieces, medals. N. H. Sesqui-centennial medal, 1783-1938.

Walter Nichols: Annapolis shilling, 1783.

Morgan Stafford: Assortment of Colonials, Fugio, Constellatio, State, bar cent, etc.

Carleton Gifford: Assortment of medals of patriotic societies (6).

WASHINGTON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—February 6, President L. F. Dyson presiding. There were 23 members and six visitors present.

The resolution committee on the deaths of Messrs. Amick and Aldridge submitted their resolutions, which were ordered spread on the minutes and copies sent to the families.

Mr. Kohen reported on the activities of Coin Week and Mr. Weikert advised that there was prospect of a broadcast by the Washington society. The chair appointed a program committee with Mr. Vanderwende as chairman for Coin Week.

Mr. Kohen submitted his resignation and it was accepted.

The report of the committee on the change in the by-laws as to membership was received and laid over until the March meeting for action.

A letter received from H. E. McIntosh advising that the society could use his film "Personalities Attending the 1938 Convention" at Columbus was referred to the program committee.

Applications for membership were received from Messrs. Temple and Lindquist and referred to the membership committee.

The following exhibits were made:

Mr. Leachman: Legal-tender notes of 1869, 1878, 1880, 1917, and United States notes of 1923 and 1928; silver certificates for the years of 1923, 1928, 1934 and 1935; a \$2 silver certificate for 1899. Also fractional currency of the first, second, third and fourth issues.

Mr. Douglass: Washington cents, four varieties of 1783, obverse and re-

verse of each, two in proof condition; halfpennies of 1793 and 1791; eagle cent in proof, and several other coins and tokens.

Mrs. Wilkins: Presidential medals of Washington and Lincoln. A 1792 half-disme. Mint tradition says this coin was made from Martha Washington's silver table spoons. These were the first coins struck in the U. S. Mint.

Mr. Weikert, Jr.: Two admission tickets to the Columbian Exposition in 1892 and 1893.

Mr. Sigler: Washington Civil War tokens and Lincoln medals.

Mr. Rothwell: Bi-Centennial medals of Washington and Lincoln.

Mr. Permoda: Russian paper money, miscellaneous paper money and a 1916 quarter dollar.

Mr. O'Meara: Letter written by George Washington and a \$5 note of the City of Alexandria, Va.

Colonel McKie: A copy of the New York Herald announcing the assassination of Lincoln, also two Washington cents.

Mr. Jameson: The coin with the largest circulation in the history of the world—the Lincoln cent with 5,656,520,498 in circulation to date.

MILWAUKEE NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—52nd meeting, January 27. The meeting was attended by 32 members and two guests.

Retiring President Polzer read a short paper in which he called attention to the accomplishments and progress made during 1938. The club had a net gain of 16 new members during the course of the year, in addition to lending a helping hand in the establishment of clubs at Racine, Manitowoc and Waukesha.

Perhaps the outstanding event of the year was the club's display at the Milwaukee Hobby Exposition, the official attendance of which was in excess of 40,000.

The following were installed as new officers for 1939; President, Harry Collura; vice-president, Hubert L. Polzer; secretary, Franklyn H. Miller; treasurer, Charles Hocking, and sergeant-at-arms, Paul Joers. President Collura gave an interesting talk on the plans of the Club for the ensuing year and made the various committee appointments.

The club will be host to the Waukesha Coin Club at its next meeting, and it is expected that the attendance will surpass any meeting ever held in Wisconsin.

Exhibits of the evening were a complete set of brilliant proof half dollars by John Stewart; Hubert L. Polzer, a freak mistruck silver dollar without milling and with a five-sixteenth-inch crescent.

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB—January 19, with twenty-three members present. There were also four guests present from Washington—Messrs. Weikert, Hodge, Dyson and Boosel.

Mr. Dyson and Mr. Weikert spoke briefly about numismatic affairs as they appeared in Washington, and in particular the outlook for commemorative half dollars under the new Congress, which was not very encouraging. Bills for four or five new issues have been introduced. Mr. Dyson again extended an invitation to our Baltimore collectors to attend any of the meetings of the Washington society.

Our question box yielded a number of questions, some of them facetious, and also some interesting information on different subjects.

Mr. Straus read us a letter in reference to his experiences in trying to get the Jefferson nickels with the mint mark for San Francisco, and Mr. Hawkins described similar experiences in obtaining the new coins from the Federal Reserve Bank in Kansas City, Mo., and also in San Francisco. Mr. Heiserman reported that he had had more luck in getting new nickels from the smaller commercial banks in these cities than from the larger institutions.

The rest of the evening was devoted to an auction.

BALTIMORE COIN CLUB—February 2, with seventeen members and one guest, Dr. A. P. Scarborough, present.

The secretary announced that the dinner for March 16 would probably be held at the Hotel Belvedere, and that Dr. David M. Robinson would be present and talk about his archaeological experience in Olynthos.

A letter from the Boy Scout commander was received and read, asking assistance in helping the Boy Scouts to obtain a merit badge for numismatic knowledge. The matter was laid aside for a future meeting.

Mr. Duffield acquainted us with the efforts of the A. N. A. to further national Coin Week to be held from March 25 to March 31 with the idea of increasing public interest in numismatics. President Perlitz asked the club members to think the matter over and offer suggestions at our next meeting.

A nominating committee was appointed to suggest names for the officers of the club for our election in March, the committee consisting of Messrs. McCormick, Hawkins, and Hooper.

Our question box yielded some interesting questions, the principal one being whether putting autographs or advertising matter on paper money constituted an offence, and what would happen to anyone who would do it. After much interesting discussion it was generally agreed that writing or otherwise marking paper notes did not constitute an offence unless there was some intent to deceive or defraud thereby.

This was our program night, and Dr. Plummer had a very interesting exhibit of army and navy medals, both of the United States and European countries. He had some very fine Napoleonic and also seventeenth century items, both in silver, bronze, and the lesser known Britannic metal, as well as Sheffield plate. The exhibition was extremely interesting to the members present, as also was the explanation and description which Dr. Plummer made in respect to a few of the items.

CHICAGO COIN CLUB—240th regular meeting, Feb. 1, in the Colonial Room of the Skyline Athletic Club, President McBrien presiding. Eighty-one members and five visitors were present.

Henry Voss and James P. Randall were elected members. The application of H. J. Tulip was referred to the membership committee.

Mr. Rayson submitted the new club seal, which was adopted. He explained further that the motto, "Docendo Discimus" means "we learn by teaching."

The committee on new housing quarters reported that a lease on the spacious Colonial Room of the Skyline Athletic Club has been signed at a nominal rental.

The resignation of O. B. Carlsen, of Arcadia, Cal., was read and accepted.

Mr. Rayson reported the death of P. S. Stevens.

This being auction night, president McBrien adjourned meeting. Wm. Rayson acted as auctioneer.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Davis: 30 Lincoln campaign medals, also tokens of Bell, Douglas, and Breckenridge.

Fred Burnham: Spanish gold dollar or pistole, 1786.

Harry Boosel: Sheet of uncut \$1 silver certificates.

R. Smith: Mexican Revolution, 1914 and 1915, 39 pieces in copper from several states.

Mr. Rayson: Edward IV angel, 1464; Henry VIII half sovereign, 1545; Edward VI shilling, 1549; Charles I Scottish shilling, 1637.

R. Cederlund: Gustav Vasa of Sweden, rigsdaler, 1541-2-3-4-5. Erik XIV of Sweden, rigsdaler, 1561. Johan III of Sweden, two varieties of double rigsdaler, not dated. Carl IX of Sweden, 20 mark, 1608, 8 mark, 1608, 4 mark 1604, 4 mark 1607, rigsdaler 1610.

PHILADELPHIA COIN CLUB—February 9th, 44th meeting, with President Davidson presiding and thirty-three members and guests present.

By unanimous vote, Richard T. Hooper, was elected to membership.

Asher H. Leatherman gave an interesting sketch of the fun he had with an old half dollar, containing a hole, which he tried to spend for transportation. He offered it to cashiers and conductors at the same time asking them if it was any good. One suggested that he take it direct to the mint; another said he would like to have it, but did not have that much money of his own to buy it; finally he found a bus conductor who was only too glad to get it to add to his collection, stating that he had a very extensive collection, including one of those very rare (?) 1909 Lincoln cents with the BVD on it.

The announced speaker of the evening, Dr. Thomas M. Logan, offered a paper on U. S. nickels, which was very interesting, giving us many new facts regarding the various pattern coins in existence. Dr. Logan has a very splendid complete collection of nickels and many of the rare pattern coins.

Roscoe F. Ballard won the door prize, a set of 1938 proofs.

James J. McDevitt won the vote of the evening for the best exhibition, the following gold proof coins: 1887 \$20, 1904 \$5, 1904 \$2.50.

Mr. Leatherman: Complete set of proof three-cent nickels; 1803 uncirculated half dime.

Mr. Iannarella: Louisiana Purchase medals in four different metals.

Mr. Davidson: Lincoln and Washington medals. These were very appropriate for this meeting.

Mr. Wismer: One of the very rare \$1 White Mountain Bank of Lancaster, N. H., notes.

Mr. Bechtel: A George Washington book-plate.

The rest of the evening was devoted to an open forum and a large auction.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—609th meeting, January 17, with President Elston presiding and 22 members present.

It was decided that our project for the year be to build a larger and more efficient library. Several constructive ideas were presented by Mr. Bauer, Mr. Gillette and Mr. Lindboe.

The new committees were appointed.

It was voted to send one of our anniversary medals of our 27th president, F. Emmett Peake, to the American Numismatic Society.

The usual auction followed the meeting.

ROCHESTER NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—610th meeting, February 7, with President Elston presiding and 15 members and 5 visitors present.

The publicity and the program committees are getting a good start on this year's activities. Visitors' night will be March 21 and ladies' night will be April 18th. The Central New York Meet this Fall will be in Rochester. National Coin Week will be observed with exhibits, talks, etc.

Mr. Magnus Johanson was elected to membership and the applications of Mr. John M. Whitbank, Lewis J. Bark and Lee N. Sherwood were received. Mr. K. Martin was appointed chairman of the current coin committee.

It was decided to send to the American Numismatic Society one of each of the medals of our 24th and 25th presidents so that their collection will be complete.

A paper on the history of fractional currency, which had been prepared by B. Bloom, was read by L. C. Swartz.

Lantern slides of one coin from each of 50 different countries were shown.

ALBANY NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—52nd meeting, February 9. Vice-President Sartoris presided, with nine members and one visitor present.

The resignation of Abel B. Ellsworth was accepted.

Letters from Ted Hammer regarding National Coin Week, to be observed Mar. 25 to 31, were enthusiastically received. Arrangements for displaying coins in Troy with the cooperation of the Chamber of Commerce were previously made. The secretary is to arrange a display in Albany and Mr. Hardstock will investigate the possibility of obtaining the cooperation of one of the banks in Schenectady in arranging a display in that city.

Guest exhibitors from the Fort Orange Stamp Club will entertain our society at its first meeting in March in return for an exhibit of coins put on by us before the stamp club last fall.

Mr. Mason displayed several albums of Federal Reserve notes and other early U. S. currency, which were enjoyed by all present.

Mr. Kurth is to exhibit and talk on Irish Copper Coins on February 23.

WESTERN PENNSYLVANIA NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—February 7th. President Hall was in the chair. Sixteen members and three visitors were present.

Applications for membership were read from Robert S. Porter, Jr., John Cingota and Stanley E. Rudert.

The society was privileged to hear three well-prepared talks on divers subjects. Mr. Woodside outlined the general scope of the coinage of Siam;

Dr. Hepting presented the story of private gold issues of the United States; Mr. Hall's subject was "Collecting Lincolniana." Each talk was accompanied by an exhibit of unusually fine specimens.

Exhibits for the evening were:

Mr. Marlier: An important collection of about seventy-five copper and silver pieces of the earliest coinage of Sweden.

Mr. Eastwood: Sierra Leone copper and silver; 10-korona gold of Hungary; Sarawak copper and nickel; St. Helena tokens.

Mr. Scaife: Ancient money weights of Siam and Cambodia; silver "saddle" coin of Siam; uncirculated penny of Sierra Leone, 1791; silver shu of Japan; 5 kopeks of Siberia, Elizabeth II.

Mr. Woodside: A magnificent collection of Scottish coins, 120 pieces, in gold, silver, billon and copper; 6 gold and 8 silver bullet coins, and 13 flat pieces of Siam.

Dr. Hepting: 1908 St. Gaudens set, quarter eagle to double eagle, in sand-blast proof; St. Gaudens double eagle, high relief, 1907; \$20 U. S. Assay Office, California, 1853; \$10 U. S. Assay Office, California, 1852; \$10 gold, Moffat & Company, 1849; two Stellas, and a number of standard gold coins of the United States.

Mr. Bullions: Locket medal of Columbian Exposition, 1893; Washington medal, Philadelphia Centennial, 1876; medal of Fiftieth Anniversary of the Episcopate, 1877.

Mr. Gaede: A nice collection of U. S. paper money, including an uncirculated Federal Reserve note of \$100, large size.

Mr. McCune: U. S. gold dollars: 1851-2-3-5-6-7-8, 61, 73; Panama-Pacific Exposition dollar; two McKinley dollars; seven quarter eagles, including Sesqui, 1926; two California gold 25-cent pieces, octagonal, 1865, and round, 1856.

Mr. Hall: A beautiful collection of Lincoln medals in silver and bronze, by Sigel, Maquaidas, Ellis, Morgan, Roine, Brenner, Ryden, Hinton, Calverley, Hughes, Bovy, Paquet, Warner and Pietz.

NEW JERSEY NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—65th meeting, February 9th. Nineteen members and two guests were present.

Mr. Wade's reading of items of numismatic interest was followed by the answering of questions by Messrs. Dalley, Hicks and Adams, and Mr. Blaisdell was appointed to make up the questions for the next meeting.

Mr. Bullova talked briefly about National Coin Week, after which a general discussion was held of the part to be played by the society in the celebration, and the president appointed a committee of Messrs. Hicks, Nettleship and Wade.

The society tendered Mr. Bullova a rising vote of thanks for the gift of his recent publication, "The Commemorative Coinage of the United States."

Mr. Liveright gave a most interesting talk on the Bechtler coinage and present-day gold mining in the Carolinas.

The exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Barnett: Eight Lincoln medals, including one small and one large struck in gold with bust of Garfield on reverse. Forty Lincoln Civil War tokens and cards. Bronze plaque with busts of 29 Presidents.

Mr. Beach: Silver ingot of San Francisco mint, 5.78 ounces. Gold daric of Artaxerxes III of Persia in extra fine condition. Set of ten modern coins of Iceland, including the 1000-year commemorative set of 1930.

Mr. Blake: \$10 bill of Second Charter Period issued by the First National Bank of Muskogee, Indian Territory. Two small pieces of private gold coined in California about 1852 to 1857.

Mr. Blaisdell: Set of 1938 proof coins. The February, 1924, "Lincoln Number" of The Numismatist.

Mr. Brown: Two Washington tokens.

Mr. Capstick: A group of medals, including the Air Force Cross, the Distinguished Flying Cross, and the Distinguished Flying Medal.

Mr. Dalley: Medals by Brenner of Washington, Lafayette, and Joan of Arc.

Mr. Hicks: Set of 1939 Oregon Trail half dollars.

Mr. Husker: Cistophoric medallions of Augustus and Marc Antony and silver pieces of Diocletian and Maximianus Hercules.

Mr. May: Saxony, Second Class Knight's Cross of the Order of Albert the

Valorous. Russia, Knight's Cross with swords of the Order of St. Nicholas, the Miracle Worker. Ecuador, 5-sucres note, Oct. 15, 1937, of the Central Bank of Ecuador. United Colonies, \$7 note dated at Baltimore, Feb. 26, 1777. United States, cent of 1810 counterstamped on the obverse with the script monogram H&G.

Mr. Wade: British and Australian crowns. Tibet and Burma rupees. Siam tical. U. S. half dollar, 1795, H. 12.

Mr. Wormser: 5 rentes, 1642, struck while besieged by Louis XIII of France. 5 pesetas, 1810, struck during occupation by French forces.

TRUMBULL COIN, STAMP AND CURIO CLUB—January 18, President Wallace Feemster presiding. Sixteen members were present.

The secretary read a letter from J. Henri Ripstra, President of the A. N. A. thanking the club for the pleasant time spent in Warren at the hobby show and annual banquet on December 10, also thanking the club for the honor of being elected an honorary member.

Mr. Stillinger discussed the idea of organizing a junior club for boys too young to join the club. President Feemster instructed all members to think of this plan and present ideas at next meeting. Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Feemster: Samples of battleship seals which were printed in red sealing wax.

Mr. Folsom: A "Stella" \$4 gold piece in proof.

TRUMBULL COIN, STAMP AND CURIO CLUB—February 1, President Wallace Feemster presiding. 22 members were present.

Ernest F. Cribley was elected a member.

Mr. Stillinger reported the results obtained by write-up in papers and the club decided to promote the junior club at once. A committee of four was appointed, C. L. Stillinger, Donald Wittala, R. G. Walker and James Beal.

Mr. Feemster held an interesting quiz of five questions on stamps. R. G. Walker gave a very interesting talk on the Lincoln Memorial stamp issues, also a short biography of Abraham Lincoln, which was followed by a detailed history of Lincoln cents by Herbert W. Walker.

Mr. Feemster gave the club a short talk on the Columbian series, and Mr. Stillinger explained and exhibited Columbian half dollars 1892 and 1893, also a small medal issued at the Chicago World's Fair.

Fred W. Beck then gave a very interesting talk on the Pan-American series, displaying a complete collection.

Clarence Otto exhibited some very rare and outstanding autographs and portraits of interest.

WESTERN RESERVE NUMISMATIC CLUB—215th meeting, February 8. There were 46 members and 19 visitors present.

A talk on the biography of Lincoln was given by Mr. Mallon. Dr. Sargis chose as his subject, "Lincoln the Martyr." It was most interesting. Mr. Field gave us a short discourse on the medals of which his father was the sketcher. After his talk he distributed a numismatic item of interest to each person present.

Exhibits were as follows:

Elmer Fox: A collection of 260 large cents.

Fred Hahlen: Complete set of Lincoln cents.

Thornton Taylor: 11 various Lincoln medals and 7 Washington medals properly attributed.

Ambrose P. Spencer: Series of Roman denarii commemorating the struggle between Mark Antony and Octavian for the mastery of Rome, 44 to 30 B. C., including the coins issued by Julius Caesar, Mark Antony, Marcus Brutus, Octavian, and Lepidus.

Mrs. M. O. Hallock: Old photograph album containing 10 pictures of Lincoln.

Edgar G. Bell: 90 crown-size coins from various countries in extremely fine to uncirculated condition.

Mrs. Emma Sargis: 6 Confederate notes of the \$500 denomination in A, B, C, D series; 18 other Confederate notes of various denominations. The total value (in Confederate currency) of these notes was \$3,393. Thirteen Swedish coins bearing the portraits of Charles XII, Frederick I and Oscar II.

Dr. Y. A. Sargis: Many medals of our beloved Lincoln. Two bronze

tokens of 1838, one bearing the inscription "Am I Not a Woman and a Sister"; the other, "Am I Not a Man and a Brother?" Fac-simile copies of Lincoln's saloon license and his immortal Gettysburg Address.

John W. Gregor: Many coins of Germany, which were acquired most recently, in the most brilliant and perfect condition. (The quantity of German coins made available recently suggests that it must be due to the influx of German refugees from the former Austria, now called Ostmark within the German Empire).

After an auction of 100 lots the meeting was adjourned.

FAIRFIELD NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—January 20, President Harold M. Sturges presiding. There were 14 members and 3 guests present.

The chairman notified the members of the death of our first vice-president, William E. Andrews, on January 1.

Oscar G. Schilke announced that he had been appointed to act as district chairman for National Coin Week by Ted Hammer.

The following committee was appointed to make arrangements for the observance of Coin Week: Harold M. Sturges, Charles H. Terry, E. W. Bas-sick, Jr., and Oscar G. Schilke.

Mr. Kusterer spoke on fractional currency and obsolete bank notes.

The topic for the next meeting will be numismatic items relating to Wash-ington and Lincoln.

Exhibits were as follows:

Patrick Kennedy: 1938 proof set.

Harold Sturges: Fractional currency, 1861; three-cent piece in brass; fractional note, 25c., 1837, Manheim, Pa.

Josephine Chapman: \$500 6 per cent. Confederate States of America bond, second series, dated Feb. 17, 1864, with all coupons intact.

Leonard Kusterer: Fractional currency and broken bank notes.

Oscar G. Schilke: 28 various fractional currency; 2-kronen note of Aus-tria with a poem by Theodor Hentgen, of New York City, "The Bronx River and Falls."

J. Norman Crosby: German religious medal, Gotha, 1672.

AMES NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—16th meeting, February 1. Twelve members and one visitor were present. Mr. Albaugh, vice-president, pre-sided during the absence of Mr. Ferguson.

National Coin Week was discussed and the club voted to take an active part in making it a great success.

Discussion of the Convention of the Iowa Numismatic Association was also discussed. The convention will be held at Burlington on May 19 and 20.

Report was made about our newest coin club in Iowa, at Fort Dodge.

Mr. Frels read a paper about paper money which brought out many in-teresting facts.

Mr. Albaugh received a proof coin as attendance prize.

Exhibits included: Carl Albaugh, Indian cents; Mr. Lamb, small cents and proofs; Mr. Bohler, commemoratives. An auction followed.

PACIFIC COAST NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—280th meeting, January 25. Nineteen members and five guests were present. President Mitchell ap-pointed committees for 1939.

Mr. Schulz reported for the auditing committee that the books of the sec-retary-treasurer had been audited and found correct.

The resignations of Frank Bauden, Jr., and A. F. Williams were accepted with regrets as of December 31, 1938.

Harvey L. Hansen reported regarding the Fifth Far Western Numismatic Conference.

Mr. Webb reported that the Historical Coinings Society had selected Har-vey L. Hansen as their vice-chairman.

The date of the February meeting was changed to the 15th and it was decided to combine the society's annual banquet with the dinner of the Far Western Numismatic Conference.

The guests were called upon, who told of their collecting specialties and brought greetings from their local societies.

The meeting had been called in honor of the memory of the late Ernest

R. Wernstrom. Roy Hill had prepared a fine exhibit, with pictures and mementoes, recalling the many phases of Mr. Wernstrom's work for the society, the Junior Coin Collectors, the A. N. A., and the Far Western Numismatic Conferences. Messrs. Roy Hill, Hansen, Webb, Kraft and Mitchell spoke in memory of their friend.

An auction of donated lots was held.

PITTSBURGH COIN CLUB—January 19, President Buterbaugh in the chair. Fourteen members were present.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Ramcovitz: Proof silver dollars, 1881 and 1890. Jefferson nickels, 1938, S and D mints. Pattern half dollar, silver proof, 1859, A-W. 297, Rarity 4.

Mr. Moudy: Public welfare tax token Louisiana.

Mr. Hepner: Silver dollars, 1857, 1859, 1860, proof. 1889-CC and 1877 Trade dollar CC, and other U. S. coins.

Mr. Sallach: Set of 1938 Canadian coins.

Mr. Layton: \$10 U. S. gold certificate and English gold sovereign.

Mr. Buterbaugh: U. S. Delaware Swedish 2 kroner commemorative, 1938.

Mr. Kays: Ancient Chinese coins, including very rare corrugated cash, Tchou Dynasty, 770-250 B. C., and a very heavy 100 cash of Hsien Feng, 1851-62.

Dr. Hepting: Set of 1938 proof coins, which he donated as a door prize for the annual meeting.

Mr. Drew: German gold coins, 5, 10 and 20 mark, and 10 varieties of German 5-mark pieces in silver.

Mr. Kontrick: Italy, 20 lire, 1936; Cuba dollar, 1893; Sweden, 5 kroner, 1935; Great Britain crown, 1820; Peru, sol, 1885.

Mr. Cunningham: U. S. dollars, U. S. \$1 and \$2 gold pieces; war medals; Lindbergh medals.

Dr. Katz: Tokens of Sumatra.

Mr. Gibbs: German shoe-leather money issued after the World War; Westphalia, billion marks.

The chairman appointed Mr. Cunningham chairman of the publicity committee, along with Mr. Layton and Dr. Katz.

Mr. Layton introduced a photographer, who took a group photograph of the officers to be used in their hobby window in one of the local banks.

QUAD CITIES COIN CLUB—February 9. Notwithstanding sleet, snow and rain all day, twelve members and four visitors braved the elements to attend the 14th meeting, some having come 30 miles to do so.

Received two applications for membership.

Plans were discussed for participating in National Coin Week and committees were appointed to arrange for publicity and displays.

The Q. C. C. C. will be well represented at the State meeting in Burlington, which Ted Hammer informs us will have a program full of interest and pleasure.

The secretary and possibly some others plan to attend the Burlington club meeting on February 13.

Meeting closed with usual auction.

CALIFORNIA COIN CLUB—Eleventh annual banquet meeting at the Wilshire Bowl, January 10, with forty members and guests present.

Mr. Gilhousen, the outgoing president, thanked the members for their past cooperation and introduced Dr. Pradeau as toastmaster. Dr. Pradeau introduced E. D. Krachey and Dr. Charles Harbeck, who spoke briefly.

The new president, W. J. Van Rossem, was then introduced, and outlined briefly the tentative plans for programs for the 1939 meetings, and then the other new officers for 1939 were introduced to the gathering: R. A. Wilson, vice-president; W. R. Hauptmann, treasurer; Sidney Haas, secretary, and C. E. Gilhousen, member of the board of governors, with E. D. Krachey.

Howard Newcomb, well-known specialist in large cents, was then introduced, who spoke about the interest and usefulness of collecting.

The guests present were introduced, after which the drawing for door prizes was held, and the meeting was adjourned downstairs to tables on the dance floor.

MISSOURI NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—January 16th, President Kelley presiding. Forty-two members and guests present.

The following new members were admitted to the club: Leo J. Falk, Robert Hutchinson, Jr., A. C. Stutsman, R. H. Pattison, W. S. Frampton. Edward Clock, Jr., filed his application for membership.

J. S. Stevenson was appointed club secretary.

President Kelley read a letter from Vernon Sheldon, acknowledging acceptance of the application of the Missouri Numismatic Society to membership of the A. N. A.

John H. Snow gave a talk on "Numismatic Thoughts and Experiences." As usual, Mr. Snow's talk was very interesting.

Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Snow: A coin a century for thirty centuries, from the tenth century B. C. to present time.

Mr. Kelley: Various U. S. and foreign proof coins.

Mr. Moore: A collection of small U. S. cents in uncirculated and proof condition.

Mr. Bushnell: A collection of various types of fractional currency.

Mr. Hussman: A complete collection of three-cent silver pieces in uncirculated and proof condition.

An auction was held.

BURLINGTON COIN CLUB—Regular monthly meeting, January 16. Nine members in attendance.

The annual election was held. Dr. A. V. Eisenhart was chosen president; Cleo Loserth, vice-president, and William Hockstad, secretary.

The club voted to obtain a corporate membership in the American Numismatic Association.

Methods of conducting auction sales were added to the by-laws.

Ted Hammer, A. N. A. District Secretary and president of the Iowa Numismatic Association, described the history of the mint and compared present methods of coining to those of the past. B. B. Jeffrey will address the next meeting, February 13, on paper money.

MADISON COIN CLUB—January 12. Meeting called to order by President Hawley with seven members and one guest present.

A communication from the Central States Numismatic Conference, which will be held in Chicago on April 22-23 in the Congress Hotel, was read and acted upon. The club voted in favor of the conference, but wished more information on it.

An auction was held of many odds and ends.

It was hoped that we will have a grab bag, and a questioner act at the next meeting.

It is hoped that in the future we will have more members in attendance by having a bigger outlook for all.

BUFFALO NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION—January 23, President Dr. Thurber LeWin presiding, with thirteen members and two visitors present.

Officers elected for 1939 are as follows: President, Dr. Thurber LeWin; vice-president, Paul D. Williams; treasurer, Jesse M. Taylor; secretary, Franklyn J. Herrick; assistant secretary, Donald B. Clark; curator, Robert H. Lloyd; librarian, George A. Cage; board of governors, Robert H. Lloyd, Nelson P. Hopkins, Howard M. Myers, Jesse M. Taylor and Paul D. Williams.

Announcement was made of a talk on counterfeiting to be given at the next meeting by a representative of the Federal Bureau of Investigation. This is to be the first of a series of such interesting affairs planned by President LeWin.

A beautiful display of platinum, silver and bronze Russian Coronation medals by Mr. Hopkins. He is our famous medal man, whose very large display of war medals is now in the Buffalo Historical Museum.

A large display of several hundred brilliant mint English colonial coins was made by our past president, Robert H. Lloyd, who visited England the past summer.

A display of uncirculated silver dollars of various mints just received from the Treasury was made by Charles Blackley, one of our newest members.

MISSOURI NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—February 13, President Kelley presiding. Fifty members and guests were present.

President Kelley spoke about the Hobby Show to be held Feb. 20 in connection with the Mound City Stamp Club. Several members agreed to display numismatic material.

The following new members were admitted to the club: Edward Clock, Jr., R. D. McIntire, H. J. Hulett.

E. D. Hempel and James Gaeliner filed their applications for membership. Exhibits were as follows:

Mr. Johnson: One-cent patterns and complete set of small cents in proof condition.

Mr. Snow: Various foreign patterns and trial pieces.

Mr. Newman: Hard Times tokens.

Mr. Stevenson: Various types of silver dollars.

Mr. Snow gave a five-minute talk on his coins on display. Mr. Newman talked on his Hard Times tokens. Both were very interesting.

Mr. Hulett agreed to give a paper at next meeting on small cents.

Mr. Kelley discussed National Coin Week.

The meeting was turned over to Mr. Rauert, our auctioneer.

DES MOINES COIN CLUB—Thirty-fifth meeting, February 3. There were 17 members and one visitor present.

Mr. Sawyer gave a report on the progress of the Junior Coin Club.

Mr. Goodman was elected as representative to the Central States Numismatic Conference in Chicago.

The meeting was turned over to Mr. Radke, who gave a very interesting talk on Colonial coins. The meeting adjourned with a spirited auction.

Displays were as follows:

Mr. Swanson: 1795, 1798, and 1808 \$5 gold pieces, uncirculated.

Leon Smith: Chinese coins of the various dynasties.

Mr. McDonald: Type gold.

Mr. Goodman: Fractional currency.

HARTFORD NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—48th regular and fourth annual meeting, January 18. Thirteen members and eight guests were present.

President Hoffman of the New Haven Club; President Hill and Secretary Grasso and Dr. Rogers of the Waterbury Club all spoke briefly.

The annual election of officers was held, resulting as follows: President, Dunbar D. Scott; vice-president, Maurice Y. Nokes; secretary, Eric H. Lind; treasurer, George Henke; board of governors, three-year term, Albert C. Bates.

Plans for the February meeting were formulated and it was decided to make it a supper meeting.

A spirited auction followed adjournment.

SPRINGFIELD COIN CLUB—275th meeting, February 8th, President Sandburg presiding, with twelve members present.

President Sandburg announced his committee appointments.

Considerable discussion took place relative to the celebration of National Coin Week, and it was decided to cooperate with the A. N. A. in this matter and several volunteered services and material for displays. * President Sandburg appointed H. E. MacIntosh chairman of a committee to work on arrangements.

The membership committee reported that there were two prospects for new members and hoped to have them signed up by the next meeting.

The exhibit for the evening was by Mr. Kohler and consisted of a large collection of California Gold, of which he told some interesting things. He also showed some very beautiful medallions.

Mr. MacIntosh showed Presidential medals.

An auction closed the meeting.

OREGON NUMISMATIC SOCIETY—January 9. Fifteen members and two visitors were present.

With the hope of bringing in some numismatic visitors and finally securing their membership in this society as well as with the A. N. A., President

Trythall presented a novel idea. A punch board with 1000 numbers is to be used. On the even 100, 200, etc., prizes are to be placed. The prizes are donations of coins or medals from as many members of our society. Each meeting a member attends entitles such member to three punches. A member who brings a visitor is entitled to five punches (per visitor). When all prizes have been drawn, an additional prize of \$5 cash is to be donated by the society and participated in only by the ten lucky parties of the previous prizes.

Past President Firth has suggested an old fashioned "Prof. Quiz" meeting. Details of such a meeting are to be worked out by Dr. Firth and his committee.

A motion was carried that Vice-President Hughes be appointed to place a notice of each meeting in our two large local newspapers, the Oregonian and Journal, such notices to appear each Sunday prior to our meeting date.

A motion was then carried that we hold a grand display of coins at the February meeting. Dr. Firth has agreed to invite the "gentlemen of the press" to view such a collection and acquaint them with our society, etc.

OMAHA COIN CLUB—55th meeting, February 3, President Judd presiding. Fifteen members and three guests were present.

Mrs. A. E. Bennett was elected to membership by unanimous vote.

A motion by Mr. Allwine was carried that the chair appoint a committee to investigate the possibilities of revising or bettering our present method of holding the club's auction. Mr. Allwine suggested we might have a combined mail auction and auction from the floor.

Mr. Johnson suggested that the president should ask for volunteers to give short talks on their collections and difficulties in obtaining scarce dates. Mr. Hartman and Mr. Johnson agreed to give us short talks at the March meeting.

President Judd gave a talk on the history of money, and the origin of making coins round and putting a milled edge on coins. He also touched on the highlights of our currency system.

The door prize was donated by Dr. Judd and won by Mr. Thorson.

An auction was held.

FIFTH FAR WESTERN NUMISMATIC CONFERENCE.

The plans for the conference are progressing rapidly. The dates, you will recall, are from May 19 to 21. In addition to attending this regional meeting of numismatists, you will also have the opportunity of taking in the Golden Gate International Exposition, which is now open.

The following committees have been appointed: Exhibit committee, Roy Hill, chairman; R. A. Webb and W. G. Wilson.

Auction committee, R. A. Mitchell, chairman; C. J. Knabenschuh and T. J. Hoffman.

Hospitality and banquet committee, Robert V. Harris, chairman; Otto Schulz, Mrs. Claire and Dr. H. V. Hoffman.

The following organizations have been asked to appoint cooperation committees of two members: California Coin Club, Dallas Coin Club, Junior Coin Collectors, Oregon Numismatic Society, Rocky Mountain Numismatic Society, San Diego Numismatic Society, Seattle Coin Club and the Historical Coinings Society.

We had hoped to circularize all numismatists in the Far Western States, but the allocation from the city of San Francisco has not been forthcoming, due to a shortage of funds.

Our headquarters will be the Hotel Whitecomb, in San Francisco, and you are urged to get your reservations in as early as possible, writing the hotel direct and mentioning that you are going to attend the conference. Rates are as follows: Single room with bath (1 person), \$3.50 and \$4 the day; room with bath, double bed (2 persons), \$4.50, \$5 and \$6 the day. Twin-bed room with bath, \$5, \$6 and \$7 the day. These rates are for conference attendants, and due to the large number of people who are expected here for the exposition, you are urged to make your reservations as early as possible.

Chairman Roy Hill is at work on the arrangements for the exhibit, which

will be held in the Italian Room of the Hotel Whitcomb. Your time will be taken up with round-table discussions, the exhibit, an auction and the banquet.

Any questions regarding the conference will be gladly answered. Address me at 729 Pacific Avenue, Apt. D, Alameda, Cal.

Remember, the success of the Fifth Far Western Numismatic Conference depends upon your interest and attendance. This regional meeting of importance and the sights of Treasure Island are calling you. We will be here to greet you.

HARVEY L. HANSEN, General Secretary.

TENTH ANNUAL BANQUET OF PITTSBURGH COIN CLUB.

The annual banquet of the Pittsburgh Coin Club was held at 7 P. M. on January 21 at the Downtown Y. M. C. A., following an auction sale of coins in the afternoon, and was attended by 24 members and their wives. Guests of the evening were T. James Clarke, Jamestown, N. Y., past President of the A. N. A.; Herbert Walker, Vice-President of the A. N. A.; T. C. Ball, of New Castle; Dr. Y. A. Sargis, of Cleveland, president of the Western Reserve Numismatic Club; Mrs. Sargis and daughter Olive; Chas. S. Hall, District Secretary of the A. N. A. and president of the Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society; Earle Coatesworth, secretary W. P. N. S.; Mr. Woodside, Sydney Eastwood, Mr. Gaede and Mr. Kopsick.

After a very enjoyable turkey dinner members viewed the exhibits and some then adjourned to the home of the secretary, Howard Gibbs, while others went to a night club.

Very fine exhibits were on view, including some very rare and unusual pieces by T. James Clarke, and a very fine exhibit of early Chinese coins, beautifully mounted, by Chas. Kays.

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THE TEXAS COMMEMORATIVES.

The Texas Centennial half dollars were taken off sale on November 1, 1938, according to the Texas Memorial Museum Centennial Coin Campaign Committee. All unsold coins on hand as of that date were returned to the Denver mint for melting.

A table of figures which presents a complete picture of its activities and which would be of some use as general information is printed below. The figures are given by the committee:

	Coins Minted	Coins Sold	Coins Re- turned to Mint
1934—Philadelphia	205,000	61,350	143,650
1935—Philadelphia	10,000	9,988	12
Denver	10,000	10,000	
San Francisco	10,000	10,000	
1936—Philadelphia	10,000	8,903	1,097
Denver	10,000	9,032	968
San Francisco	10,000	9,057	943
1937—Philadelphia	8,000	6,566	1,434
Denver	8,000	6,599	1,401
San Francisco	8,000	6,630	1,370
1938—Philadelphia	5,000	3,775	1,225
Denver	5,000	3,770	1,230
San Francisco	5,000	3,808	1,192
Totals	304,000	149,478	154,522

NORTHWEST COIN CLUB HOLDS EXHIBIT.

The Northwest Coin Club, jointly with the Twin City Philatelic Society and the Precancel Club, held a four-day exhibit in January at the West Hotel. Our new portable display cases proved to be very successful, and it is planned to use them frequently throughout the year.

On February 2 the club will celebrate its fifth birthday at the Curtis Hotel, Minneapolis, by a party, to be followed by an auction of 145 lots.

Plans for the future include an American copper night, when all our collections will be on display for comparison. Later there will be ladies' night for wives and girl friends, frequent auctions, quizzes, raffles, and drawings.

We hope to hold our membership around a hundred, which is a comfortable figure. Our aim is to encourage membership in the A. N. A., since an informed membership means a better local coin market and a more harmonious organization.

PAUL OLSON, Secretary.

COINAGE FOR JANUARY, 1939.

Following is the amount of coinage (in dollars and cents) executed at the mints of the United States during January, 1939, as reported by the Bureau of the Mint, Washington, D. C.:

Half dollars, commemorative:	Philadelphia.	San Francisco.	Denver.
Arkansas Centennial	\$ 1,052.00	\$ 1,052.50	\$ 1,052.00
Oregon Trail	1,502.00	1,502.50	1,502.00
Quarter Dollars	207,000.00		
Dimes	177,000.00		75,000.00
Five cents	281,850.00		
One cent	93,140.00	53,000.00	20,000.00

Coinage executed at the Philadelphia Mint for foreign countries:

Cuba—Silver pesos, 2,000,000 pieces.

JUNIOR COIN COLLECTORS OF SAN FRANCISCO.

The meeting held Friday, January 20, was in memory of the late Ernest R. Wernstrom, founder and counselor of the Junior Coin Collectors of San Francisco besides his many other numismatic and philatelic organization achievements. The program consisted of an exhibit pertaining to him and his native country—Sweden—with short talks on the country in general and its numismatic high spots by David Freed, president, and Clifford Bloom, vice-president, respectively. Roy Hill, counselor, presented a sketch of his life, to which one of his friends of many years, William G. Wilson, added some interesting sidelights of pleasant memories. From the Swedish-American Line manager, Herbert Seeböhm, we were grateful to procure three reels of movies of Iceland, Norway and Sweden, with Charles D. Hudson as movie-man. The display showed the many activities of the late Mr. Wernstrom, all of which are recorded through his constant preparation of printed records and notices for meetings and exhibitions, together with the many banquet pictures.

The February meeting, held February 24th, was postponed on account of the previous week's celebrations in connection with the official opening of the Golden Gate International Exposition, and the speaker was Weston H. Settlementier, executive secretary of the Historical Coinings Society.

The announcement of National Coin Week for March 25 to 31 came to the meeting of February 3, and immediate preparations were made to participate, some previous steps having already been taken to engage exhibit space.

Participation in the exhibition at the forthcoming Fifth Far Western Numismatic Conference at the Hotel Whitcomb, May 19, 20, 21, 1939, is also being arranged, the members getting ready to make a good showing. So if you visit San Francisco then, you will see some of the fruits of the late Mr. Wernstrom's work with boys.

ROY HILL.

CENTRAL STATES NUMISMATIC CONFERENCE.

For the Central States Numismatic Conference to be held in Chicago April 22 and 23, the following officers and committee chairmen have been designated: J. Henri Ripstra, honorary chairman; R. L. McBrien, general chairman; I. T. Kopicki, secretary. Program committee, William G. Rayson, chairman; exhibit committee, William Evans, chairman; auction committee, M. H. Jackson, chairman; registration, E. E. Lamb, chairman; publicity and attendance, Lee F. Hewitt, chairman.

Several clubs in the area have already voted support to the meeting, including the following: Toledo Coin Club, the Trumbull Coin, Stamp and Curio Club, Missouri Numismatic Society, Ames Numismatic Society, Omaha Coin Club, Heart of America Numismatic Association, Madison Coin Club, Youngstown Numismatic Club, St. Paul Numismatic Association, Corn Belt Coin Club and the Quad Cities Coin Club.

The program committee has already made a preliminary outline of the two days' program, and it is expected that they will release the final set-up shortly.

CONNECTICUT NUMISMATIC ASSOCIATION ANNUAL BANQUET.

The Connecticut Numismatic Association will hold its third annual banquet about the middle of April, the date and place to be announced in March. The following were appointed as a committee to make all the arrangements: William C. L. Hofmann, chairman; Mrs. Evelyn C. Billings, Harold M. Sturges, Oscar G. Schilke, J. Norman Crosby.

Announcement is made that The Coin Shop, Miss M. L. Ashton, manager, formerly of Alameda, Cal., has moved to Box 5466 Metropolitan Station, Los Angeles, Cal. This is one of the few coin shops operated by a woman. Miss Ashton is a member of the A. N. A. She plans to later hold occasional auction sales.

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1862 Fine	8.00
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1864 Very Good	9.00
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1863		2.65	.65	1891		.95	.70	1916		.45
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1865		3.20	.90	1894		1.10	.75	1919		.30
1866		4.35	3.20	1895		1.10	.70	1920		.30
1867		4.35	3.20	1896		1.10	.70	1921		.40
1868			3.20	1897		1.10	.70	1923		.30
1869				1898		1.35	.85	1924		.40
1870		4.35		1899		1.10	.70	1925		.30
1871		8.35	4.35	1900		1.10	.70	1926		.60
1872		8.35	5.15	1901		1.10	.50	1927		.20
1873		2.30	1.80	1902		.95	.50	1928		.20
1874		2.70	2.20	1903		.95	.50	1929		.10
1875		2.70	2.20	1904		.95	.50	1930		.10
1876		3.20	2.70	1905		1.10	.50	1931		.45
1877		13.85	6.65	1906		1.10	.50	1935		.05
1878		3.15	2.20	1907		1.10	.50	1936		.05
1879		1.30	1.10	1908		1.10	.50	1937		.05
1880		.95	.85	1909		2.15	.50	1938		.05
1881		.95	.85	1908-S			2.15	1860 3 ct. Proof		2.35
1882		.95	.85	1909-S			4.25	1873 3 ct. Proof		3.65
1883		.95	.85	1936			.90	1860 1/2 Dime, Proof		2.10

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1852	3.00	1863	47.50	1871	20.00	1884	8.00
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1938 Half Dollar		.95	1876 3c. Nickel		1.80	1887 over 86 3c. Nic.		4.50
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1863 Quarter		2.65	1879 3c. Nickel		1.35	1889 3c. Nickel		.85
1938 Quarter		.55	1880 3c. Nickel		1.50	1936 Cent		.95
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FIFTY-YEAR INDEX

TO

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Resolved, That a combined alphabetical index covering the reading contents of the first fifty years of The Numismatist be compiled; that a sum not to exceed \$500 be appropriated for the expense of the printing, publishing and distributing of this index; that the work be in charge of a committee of four, composed of the editor of The Numismatist, Mr. Duffield, as chairman, and Messrs. Dewey, Reagan and Sheldon as associates; that the contract for printing be awarded on a competitive basis; that the price of the index be fixed at fifty cents per copy.

The index will probably be ready for distribution in the spring of 1939. It will be published in a separate volume, uniform in size and format with The Numismatist.

According to the above resolution, copies of the index can be sold only on subscription.

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1915 Panama-Pacific, V. G.	5.25	1935 Hudson	6.50
1918 Lincoln	.90	1935 San Diego	1.25
1920 Maine	3.75	1935 Spanish Trail	4.25
1920 Pilgrim	1.25	1935 Texas Set, PDS Mint	3.75
1921 Pilgrim	6.75	1936 Rhode Island Set, PDS Mint	5.00
1921 Missouri, No Star	13.75	1936 Arkansas Set, PDS Mint	4.50
1921 Alabama, No Cross	3.90	1936 Texas Set, PDS Mint	4.50
1921 Alabama, With Cross	13.75	1936 Boone Set, PDS Mint	9.75
1922 Grant, No Star	1.75	1936 Oregon Trail	2.00
1923 Monroe	1.25	1936 Oregon Trail, S Mint	6.75
1924 Huguenot	2.40	1936 San Diego	1.50
1925 Lexington	1.25	1936 Cleveland	.75
1925 Stone Mountain	.75	1936 Wisconsin	1.25
1925 California	2.25	1936 Cincinnati Set, PDS Mint	16.50
1925 Ft. Vancouver	6.75	1936 Long Island	1.00
1925 Norse, Thick	.90	1936 York County	1.25
1925 Norse, Thin	2.50	1936 Bridgeport	1.75
1925 Sesqui-Centennial	1.25	1936 Lynchburg	2.25
1926 Oregon Trail	1.25	1936 Elgin	1.25
1926 Oregon Trail, S Mint	1.15	1936 Albany	1.25
1927 Bennington	2.50	1936 Columbia Set, PDS Mint	6.75
1928 Hawaiian	11.25	1936 San Francisco Bay	1.25
1928 Oregon Trail	3.75	1936 Arkansas Robinson	1.25
1933 Oregon Trail	6.75	1937 Roanoke	1.25
1934 Oregon Trail	3.50	1936 Delaware	1.50
1934 Maryland	1.25	1936 Gettysburg	1.75
1934 Texas	1.00	1936 Norfolk	1.25
1934 Boone	3.00	1937 Boone	1.50
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1873	1.75
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1876	3.00
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1888	.85
1889	.70
1890 to 1897, inclusive	.65
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1908	.40
1908-S Mint	2.25
1909	.40

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1911-D Mint	.90
1912-S Mint	1.00
1912-D Mint	1.75
1913-D Mint	3.00
1914-S Mint	3.25

1917 Liberty Stdg. Quarter, Type I	2.25
1925-P Quarter, uncirculated	2.00
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1929-P Quarter, uncirculated	1.25
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1915-D Mint	.70
1916	.45
1917-D Mint	.85
1920	.25
1924-S Mint	3.10
1924-D Mint	4.75
1925	.25
1926	.45

1927, '28, '29-S Mint	.22
1930	.15
1930-S Mint	.22
1930-D Mint	.45
1931	.32
1931-S Mint	.55
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1874.....	3.00	1888.....	1.00	1902.....	.65
1875.....	3.00	1889.....	.75	1903.....	.65
1876.....	3.50	1892.....	.75	1904.....	.65
1878.....	3.00	1893.....	.75	1905.....	.50
1879.....	1.25	1894.....	.75	1906.....	.50
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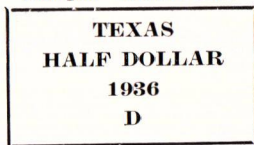
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